

ODD CALM OVER  
AISNE-MARNE  
BATTLE AREAInfantry Pauses While  
Artillery Pounds New  
Roads of Advance

Washington, July 31.—An odd calm fell over the Aisne-Marne battle area today with only the thunder of the guns to tell of new and more terrible gusts of the war storm to come. Paris and Berlin both noted it. The infantry had paused for breath while the artillery pounded new roads of advance for General Foch's victorious armies.

Just what the lull may prove is not apparent. Possibly the enemy is already on the move after the decisive defeat he met in the battle which began Saturday and centered on the American positions along the north bank of the Ourcq. Here the American third division and the now famous forty-second division, the Rainbow division, composed of former national guardsmen of many states, have made good their positions against the enemy's best fighting units. They have met, out-fought and forced backward by their fierce armor-piercing Prussian and Bavarian divisions brought fresh to the field with orders to hold the line of the Ourcq at all costs. That line has been broken. The American spearhead driven forward again and again finally broke the fighting edge of the enemy defense. When supporting columns surged forward across the Ourcq to consolidate the ground so valiantly won and held by the first rush, enemy hopes of clinging to the present line dwindled. Holding the apex of the allied line at the center, the Americans had paved the way for the flashing capture of Chalmont Butte to the westward by the Franco-British forces. Allied guns now dominate the enemy's lines from this height foretelling new inroads to his positions and the strong probability that he will be compelled to fall back to the Vesle line.

The victory was given new significance today by General March, chief of staff. Putting aside the reserve with which he hitherto has commented on the wider aspects of the battle, General March told the newspaper men at his mid-week conference today that each army was now bent on the destruction of the other; all lesser strategic objectives having been swept away on both sides. The mission of each is to kill, to destroy the fighting power of the other. It is the ultimate military objective that both are now seeking and that can be no halting short of the goal.

As General March never before has talked at these conferences in general terms, when he turned today from the pin-dotted map where the turn and sway of the battle was outlined in detail, therefore, and for the first time disclosed the true significance of the struggle in the narrow field, the danger zone near the Marne and the objective of each army is the other army.

"Whatever the enemy's objective was at the start of the drive," he said, "and whatever our hope was in the counter-offensive on the flank of this salient, it is now perfectly evident that those aims have been set."

"The holding back of the jaws (of the salient) by the Germans at Soissons and near Rheims has made it practically impossible for us to execute a bag. They have two weeks now to draw from the dangerous point down near the Marne and the objective of each army is the other army."

Coming to the army being being trained here to support the men at the front, General March said he had ordered six new divisions created, making the fighting elements of two new army corps or twelve divisions which had been in the last two weeks. Again two well trained regular regiments will be used as the center on which each division is built.

General Praises Americans.

With the American Army on the Aisne-Marne front, July 31, 8 p. m.—(By the Associated Press).—General DeGoutte, commanding the army on this front, expressed to the correspondents today his satisfaction at the progress already made and the hope that the advance would continue until the Germans were forced beyond their new positions. It had been a keen satisfaction to him, he said, to have American co-operation in the battle and he was frank in his praise of the manner in which the Americans were carrying out their part.

Some of the officers now in the line had met at the time of the Boxer rising in China, when he was a captain.

The American forces now occupy the hills beyond Serres and Serres. One of the fiercest encounters in the present offensive was brought about by the Americans, who occupied Serres. During the night the Americans pretended to withdraw from the village. Some of them did withdraw, but others remained in the houses and other points of vantage.

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## STATEMENTS

Official Communications Issued by Belligerent Countries Regarding War Situation.

BERLIN, July 31.—Via London. Quiet reigned throughout the day along the battle front," says the official statement from general headquarters this evening.

LONDON, July 31.—The war office communication issued this evening says:

"The hostile artillery was active during the day southwest of Albert and has shown some activity also east of Rebecq."

PARIS, July 31.—In fighting July 28-29 allied aviators were active along the whole front between the Aisne and the Marne, according to the Havas correspondent at the front.

July 28, French and British bombing planes dropped over 20 tons of projectiles on cantonments and roads in the Ardre and Vesle valleys, and on railroad stations and military objectives in the same region. July 29 and the following night 36 tons of bombs were dropped, fires and explosions being caused.

There were many aerial combats during which fourteen enemy machines were shot down or forced to land disabled.

LONDON, July 31.—The official communication dealing with aviation issued tonight says:

"On July 30 haze and a ground mist again interfered with observations, but nevertheless a large number of photographs were taken by us and more than eleven tons of bombs were dropped on enemy sidings and dumps."

"Rather more enemy machines were encountered, fifteen being brought down and six being driven down out of control. Six of our machines are missing. During the night of the 30th two tons of bombs were dropped by us without losses. In addition to those already reported a hostile machine was shot down by infantry fire on the 29th instant."

PARIS, July 31.—There was only artillery activity on the battle front Wednesday, according to the official communication issued this evening. An attempted enemy raid between the Oise and Montdidier was repulsed.

The text of the communication follows:

"On the whole front the day was marked by artillery action between Montdidier and the Oise an enemy raid northward of Anthoulain obtained no results."

"Aviation: On July 30, Franco-British air squadrons brought down or put out of action eighteen enemy airplanes and set on fire one captive balloon."

"Eastern theatre: There were artillery duels along the Vardar. East of the river a Bulgarian attack was repulsed."

BERLIN, July 31.—Via London. German troops in the fighting Tuesday took more than 4,000 prisoners from the allied armies. Increasing their captures to more than 24,000 since July 15, says the German official communication issued today.

The communication adds that on Tuesday nineteen allied airplanes were shot down and that everywhere allied attacks on the Rheims-Soissons sector were repulsed with heavy losses. Admission is made, however, that the British have captured the village of Morris southwest of Ypres.

The text of the communication follows:

There has been very lively reconnoitering activity in Flanders. As the result of a renewed enemy attack on Morris the place remained in his hands. North of Albert and south of the Somme there were strong artillery duels in the early morning.

"On the battle field between Hartness and west of Fere-en-Tardenois, there was no activity on the part of the enemy's infantry yesterday after their defeat of Monday. A violent attack was repulsed near Sannay (northwest of Fere-en-Tardenois)."

"Between Fere-en-Tardenois and the Bois Meunier the French and Americans again attacked deeply. Their attacks brought down with sanguinary losses."

"Our infantry frequently pursued the defeated enemy and obtained firm possession of the front territory of their lines."

"Eastward of Fere-en-Tardenois the enemy in the evening and during the night renewed his costly attacks without success. Enemy partial attacks near Romigny (southeast of Hivie-en-Tardenois) broke down."

"During the last four days we have captured more than 4,000 prisoners. This increased the number taken since the fifteenth to more than 24,000. Yesterday we shot down nineteen airplanes."

WILL NOT ESTABLISH MINIMUM WAGE

WASHINGTON, July 31.—A minimum wage to be applied throughout industry will not be established at this time by the war labor board. In making this announcement today the board said wage controversies will be considered individually as heretofore. Hearings on the question of a minimum wage had been held and the board was expected to establish a minimum in the near future.

WILL GO INTO MOURNING.

Madrid, July 31.—The official journal announces that the Spanish court will go into mourning for 30 days for Nicholas Romanoff, former emperor of Russia.

GUARD BORDER TO  
PREVENT ESCAPE  
OF PEORIA THIEF

## Postoffice Cashier Believed On Way To Germany

ADD GUARD BORDER TO . . . Peoria, Ill., July 31.—Federal officials are tonight guarding every town on the Mexican border to prevent John G. Bensing, cashier of the Peoria postoffice, escaping into Mexico and making his way to Germany, as is believed to be his intention.

Postmaster C. U. Stone has sworn out a warrant for his arrest on a charge of stealing a payroll amounting to \$6,000 and looting the war savings stamp fund of an additional \$5,000. Exact amount of his defalcations cannot be told, until postal inspectors at present at work on his books, have completed the task.

Bensing, who previous to the entrance of the United States in the world war, was strongly pro-German, left the city Saturday evening on a fake telegram calling him to Galesburg to the bedside of a sick friend.

Just before the close of banking hours it is said that Bensing drew the money from a bank. He wired his mother-in-law, Mrs. Correa, 102 Carpenter street, Springfield, Ill., from Mexico, Mo., to call his wife on the telephone, after an examination of a stocking bag as his home would explain his absence and for her to take the children to her mother's and wait further word.

Mrs. Bensing found one thousand dollars in bills in the bag and immediately took the money to Postmaster Stone. An examination of the books quickly revealed the shortage.

Bensing's father was chief military officer of the Duchy of Oldenburg, Germany, and he was in line for the same position, on the death of his father a few years ago. When Bensing came to this country his father disinherited him, but when he learned his son had joined the United States army he forgave him.

Bensing served eight years in the army and a term in the United States navy. He is said to be a relative of Count von Bernstorff. He had been employed in the postoffice for ten years. He has a wife and three young sons. Two brothers are fighting with the German army if they are still alive.

EMPEROR WILLIAM ISSUES PROCLAMATION

Tells German Army and Navy They Are Facing Hardest Struggle of the War.

Amsterdam, July 31.—Emperor William has issued a proclamation dated August 1, addressed to the German army and navy, saying that they are facing the hardest struggle of the war and expressing his own and the country's confidence that they will be able to foil desperate efforts of the enemy, says a Berlin despatch received here. Emperor William's proclamation reads:

"Serious years of war lie behind you. The German people, convinced of its just cause, resting on its hard sword and trusting in God's gracious help, has, with its faithful allies, confronted a world of enemies. Your victorious fighting spirit carried the war in the first year into the enemy's country and preserves the homeland from the horrors and devastation of the second."

"In the second and third years of the war you, by your destructive blows, broke the strength of the enemy in the east. Meanwhile your comrades in the west offered a brave and victorious front to the enormously superior forces."

"As the fruit of these victories the four years of the war has brought us peace in the east. In the west the enemy was heavily hit by the force of your assault. The battles won in recent months count among the highest deeds of fame in German history."

"You are in the midst of the hardest struggle. The desperate efforts of the enemy will, as hitherto, be foiled by your bravery. Of that I am certain and, with me, the entire fatherland."

APPROVES PROMOTION IN THE MARINE CORPS

WASHINGTON, July 31.—These promotions in the marine corps were approved today by President Wilson:

Brigadier General John A. Lejeune, to be a permanent major general.

Brigadier General L. W. T. Water, to be a temporary major general.

Colonels James E. Mahoney, Charles G. Long, Benjamin H. Fuller, Wendell C. Neville, Cyrus S. Radford, John T. Myers and Albertus W. Catlin to be temporary brigadier generals.

Three of the officers, General Lejeune, who has been assigned to command the marine corps brigade with the American Expeditionary Force and Colonels Neville and Catlin, already are in France. The two colonels participated in the recent battles near the Marne.

Promotions of marine officers were authorized in the last naval appropriation act in order to meet the expansion of the corps provided for in that measure.

U. S. WAR EXPENSES  
HIGHER THAN ENGLAND'S

Comparison of Treasury Reports Show 50 Per Cent. Difference.

Washington, July 31.—American war expenses now are running about fifty per cent higher than those of Great Britain. It was shown today by comparison of treasury reports and a newly issued British financial statement. Owing to the shorter time the United States has been in the war, however, the national war debt is only one-third as large as that of Great Britain and the individual burden of taxation in this country now is only about one-half as much as it is in England.

Although the United States has largely superseded Great Britain as the financial reservoir on which the other allied nations draw, the aggregate of such loans by this country still is one-fourth less than Great Britain's.

The monthly cost of the war to the United States now is about \$1,500,000,000, including loans to allies, while Great Britain's expenses are running in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000,000 a month. The United States is spending about \$5,000,000 a day or more than \$2,000,000 an hour. This nation's war debt is now a little less than \$12,500,000,000, as compared with Great Britain's \$36,750,000,000.

Before the war both nations collected about the same amount of taxes every year, approximately \$1,000,000,000. Now Great Britain collects \$3,270,000,000, and the United States about \$4,000,000,000, but the population in America is double that of Great Britain. If this country's taxes were proportionately as heavy, the American people would be called on to furnish annually about \$8,000,000,000 by taxation, or the amount which the treasury proposes should be raised this year under the new revenue bill now being framed by the house ways and means committee.

## ALLOW GAS COMPANY INCREASE IN RATE

Chicago Company Allowed 27 1/2 Per Cent Increase Over Past Rates.

Springfield, Ill., July 31.—Earnings of the People's Gas and Light and Coke company for 1917 "left a deficit after paying bond interest for that year of \$365,201.35 which deficit had increased at the end of the first five months of 1918 to \$935,116.56," the Illinois public utilities commission said in its order, made public today, allowing the gas company an increase of approximately twenty-seven and a half per cent in rates.

Cost of labor for 1918 has increased about 100 per cent over normal times in consequence with other costs, the commission ruling stated.

In a dissenting opinion, filed by Commissioners Shaw and Funk, it was declared that "if errors be made in the rates allowed public service companies it should be on the side of liberality to the company rather than incur the risk of impairing its functions."

The dissenting opinion, however, concluded:

"After considering all the evidence in this case, and the arguments of counsel, we are of the opinion that the rates granted by the majority vote of the commission are greater than warranted and in excess of that which the public should be required to pay in order to secure adequate service and to maintain the integrity of the property."

## CALL FOR 5,586 MEN FOR COLLEGE TRAINING

Provost Marshal General Calls On 23 States for Grammar School Graduates.

Washington, July 31.—Provost Marshal General Crowder today called on 23 states for 5,586 grammar school graduates of draft age qualified for general military service to take courses of training at colleges over the country. The men may volunteer until August 6 and after that time any deficiency will be made up. They are ordered to entrain August 15.

The quotas by states and the assignments include:

Illinois, 295; Northwestern University; Iowa, 206; Des Moines College.

## MAY TAKE OVER PINE INDUSTRY

Unless Government Needs Are Fully Supplied War Industries Board Will Act.

Washington, July 31.—Commandeering of the yellow pine industry of the south may be resorted to by Chairman Baruch, of the war industries board, unless the governments' needs are fully supplied.

The wooden shipbuilding program is being seriously hampered by the shortage of yellow pine. Officials of the emergency fleet corporation said today because southern yellow pine interests have not fully met more promptly the demand for heavy timbers required in ship construction.

Other government operations are said to be behind schedule for the same reason.

## 44,500 PRISONERS

London, July 31.—Since March 21 of this year the British have taken 44,500 prisoners on the western front, James Ian MacPherson, parliamentary secretary of the war office, informed the house of commons today.

## WAR SUMMARY

News of Activities On Various Battle Fronts in Summarized Form By Associated Press.

Whether as a result of weariness after two weeks of incessant fighting, or because of the greatly increased strength in manpower and positions of the enemy forces before them, the allied armies on the Soissons-Rheims front have noticeably decreased their efforts to clear the salient of Germans.

If the pause in the offensive is attributable to weariness the armies of the German crown prince also must be worn out by the pressure they have been under for the fortnight, for, notwithstanding the fact that huge reinforcements were sent to them in their hour of dire peril, they have lacked the hardness to throw back their antagonists and recoup their losses.

The thirteenth day of the great allied offensive which has resulted in driving back the Germans from the Marne region northward across the Ourcq river and in materially bending in the eastern and western side of the great pocket with its mouth running cross country 36 miles from Soissons to Rheims, saw little activity on the part of either of the contending forces—except in the nature of reciprocal bombardments.

Tuesday night witnessed violent attempts by the Germans to expel the Americans and French from the valuable positions they held north of the Ourcq in the region of the battle line near Fere-en-Tardenois, and the enemy were showering their positions with great quantities of high explosives and gas shells. The enemy also continues to guard with huge effectiveness the extreme eastern and western flanks of the salient to avoid possible surprise attacks.

The latest Berlin official communication asserts that more than 4,000 prisoners have been taken by the Germans in the past few days and that since July 15, in excess of 24,000 allied troops have been captured.

Whether the Germans have chosen the spot where ultimately they will face about and give battle to the allied forces has not yet become apparent. Likewise whether the retreat finally has ended is not known. Great fires behind the lines possible might indicate the destruction of further villages which it is intended to evacuate and press on northward to a chosen battle line.

With the approach of the commencement of the fifth year of the war the German emperor evidently realizes the seriousness of the situation. In a proclamation to his army and navy he tells his men they are facing the hardest struggle of the war but that they will be able to foil the desperate efforts of the enemy.

It may result in aggravating the already serious situation between the Germans and the Ukrainians is the assassination of Field Marshal von Eichhorn, the German dictator in the Ukraine, and his adjutant. They were killed by the explosion of a bomb thrown by a native at Kiev.

## ARMY STAFFS PLAN ACTION IN SIBERIA

Paris, July 31.—Havas Agency.—General army staffs at Tokio and Peking are preparing plans for joint action under the agreement between China and Japan for action in Siberia. The Chinese ambassador to France declares that China has no intention to encroach upon the internal affairs of Siberia or Russia, but is inspired by the principle of self-determination for nationalists.

He says that this right was denied China by Germany.

## AMERICANS IN UNITED KINGDOM TO BE CALLED

London, July 31.—In pursuance of the British-American convention for drafting Americans of military age resident in the United Kingdom, notice has been given American citizens desiring to return to the United States for service that they must make their own arrangements to leave before August 29. If they fail to leave by that time they become liable to service in the British army without right of appeal. An American may enlist in the American forces by applying to a British recruiting office.

## FAMOUS HUNGER STONE NOW VISIBLE IN ELBE

Amsterdam, July 31.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The famous "hunger stone" on the river Elbe, near Teschen, which, according to popular belief in Germany, predicts a famine when seen, is now visible for the first time since the beginning of the war.

The stone lies in the bed of the river and has never been visible save at exceptionally low tide. On the stone is chiseled in old German: "When ye see me, ye will weep."

## AVIATOR KILLED

Fort Worth, Texas, July 31.—Flying Cadet William Vann Weir, of Gadsden, Ala., was killed at noon today, when his plane crashed to earth at Carruthers Field.

## WIRES ARE NOW UNDER CONTROL OF GOVERNMENT

## Taken Over At Midnight By Postoffice Department

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Control of telephone and telegraph lines was taken over at midnight tonight by the postoffice department and their operation placed under the general supervision of a special committee created for the purpose by Postmaster General Burleson.

Mr. Burleson announced that until further notice the companies will continue operation in the ordinary course thru the regular channels and that officers and employees will continue in the performance of their present duties on the same terms of employment. The plan is, however, to co-ordinate the facilities of the various companies to the best interest of the public and the stockholders.

Investigations into wire conditions being conducted by the special committee composed of first assistant Postmaster General Koons, David Lewis, former member of the tariff commission and William H. Lamar, solicitor of the postoffice department will be continued so that all possible information can be secured before any changes are undertaken.

"Pursuant to the proclamation of the president of the United States," said Mr. Burleson's statement, "I have assumed possession, control and supervision of the telegraph and telephone systems of the United States. Until further notice the telegraph and telephone companies will continue operation in the ordinary course of business thru regular channels. Regular dividends heretofore declared and maturing interest on bonds and debentures and other obligations may be paid in due course and the companies may renew or extend their maturing obligations unless otherwise ordered by the postmaster general. All officers, operators, and employees of the telegraph and telephone companies will continue in the performance of their present duties, reporting to the same officers as heretofore and on the same terms of employment. Should any officer, operator or employee desire to leave the service he should give notice to the proper officer."

"I earnestly request the loyal co-operation of all officers, operators and employees and the public in order that the service rendered shall be not only maintained at a high standard but improved wherever possible."

"It is the purpose to co-ordinate and unify these services so that they may be operated as a national system with due regard to the interests of the public and the owners of the properties."

"No changes will be made until after the most careful consideration of all facts. When deemed advisable to make changes announcement will be made."

## HOLD CONFERENCE FOR TAKING OVER WIRES

Assistant Postmaster States No Changes Will Be Made at Present.

Washington, July 31.—Postoffice officials continued their conferences today with representatives of telephone and telegraph companies in preparation for taking over control of the wire systems at midnight tonight. First Assistant Postmaster General Koons said today that no changes would be made for the present, at least, and that the various companies would continue to be operated by the present officials under supervision of a special committee created in the postoffice department.

## ALLIED DIPLOMATS LEAVE VOLOGDA

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Reports have reached the state department that Ambassador Francis and all the allied diplomats left Vologda July 23.

The last direct word from Ambassador Francis was received here about a week ago in a garbled cablegram from Moscow to the effect that the ambassador was leaving Vologda but that the consular officers at Moscow would remain at their posts.

Safe arrival of the American and allied diplomats at Kandalaksha, Russian Lapland, was reported in Associated Press despatches last night.

## HEADS DRAKE UNIVERSITY.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 31.—Arthur Holmes, dean of the general faculty of Pennsylvania State College, was elected president of Drake University today. He will assume his duties here about Sept. 1. He succeeds Hill M. Bell, resigned.

## BRITISH CASUALTIES.

London, July 31.—British casualties reported during July totaled 67,291. This compares with total casualties reported in June of 141,147. The losses for July are divided as follows:

Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 521; men, 8,474.

Wounded or missing: Officers, 1,531; men, 56,759.

## ORDERS LOCOMOTIVES FOR MILITARY ROADS

War Department Places Order for 510 Moguls for Use in France—About 10,000 Freight Cars Will Be Ordered in Few Days.

Washington, July 31.—The war department has ordered 510 locomotives for military railroads in France from the Baldwin Locomotive Works at a total cost of about \$25,000,000 was announced today.

About 10,000 freight cars for service in France, costing about \$18,000,000 will be ordered within a few days.

The locomotives will be of the American Mogul Type weighing 270,000 pounds and will cost about \$50,000 each. Delivery will be started about the first of January.

All except 400 of the freight cars to be ordered will be of the box and gondola type and will be only two-thirds as heavy as the average car used on American railways. The others will be tank cars. The individual cost is about \$1,800 each. It is understood the order for cars will be distributed among manufacturers.

American Car and Foundry Company . . . . . 2400

Standard Steel Car Company . . . . . 1900

Haskell and Barker, Michigan City . . . . . 1800

Pressed Steel Car Company, Pittsburgh . . . . . 1500

Fulham Company, Chicago . . . . . 1500

Standard Car Construction Co., Chicago, (tank cars) . . . . . 400

Liberty Car Co., Chicago . . . . . 250

St. Louis Car Company . . . . . 250

## CHICAGO'S "MORALS CENSOR" DISCHARGED

Civil Service Commission Orders Funkhouser Discharged From Position as Second Deputy Superintendent of Police.

Chicago, July 31.—M. L. C. Funkhouser, known as Chicago's "morals censor" was ordered discharged from his position as second deputy superintendent of police by the civil service commission today after a hearing extending almost two weeks into charged of inefficiency and insubordination.

Major Funkhouser's conduct of the city's moving picture film censorship board has subjected him to almost constant criticism for the past few years. He also gained much prominence thru the suppression of the display in merchant's windows of pictures of "September Morn" and the removal of the statue of "The Sower" from the steps of the Art Institute.

Major Funkhouser's attorney, alleged that the charges against him were the result of a plot on the part of vice interests which he had been active in suppressing.

The civil service commission in its findings also dismissed from the city's service two of Major Funkhouser's subordinates, Joseph T. Thoney, Chicago, chief moral inspector and Hugh S. Bozand, manager of the police department properties against whom similar charges were brought. It was intimated tonight that an appeal to the courts was contemplated by the three men.

## GRECIAN MISSIONS ARE NOW IN PARIS

PARIS, July 31.—(Havas Agency).—Two Grecian missions each entrusted with a special mission to the entente powers are in Paris. One is headed by Bishop Metellis, the Metropolitan of Athens and the other is under the leadership of M. Kyrakides, ship owner and vice-president of the central committee of Greeks. They will leave soon for America.

## INDICTMENTS CHARGE GRAND LARCENY

NEW YORK, July 31.—Five indictments charging grand larceny were returned today against George Graham Rice, the broker whose offices were raided by federal agents here last Monday.

Rice was held in \$7,500 bail for a preliminary hearing.

The indictments were found on the complaint of Rudolph W. Hartman of Mahoning, Ohio; Walter Sheppard of Mahoning, Ohio; N. Y., and Dr. Wilbur S. Benedict of Washington.

Each alleged that money he had sent to Rice for the purchase of securities had been diverted by him to some other purpose.

## AMERICAN HONORED

New York, July 31.—The French government has conferred on Otto H. Kahn, American banker, the decoration of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor, in recognition of his services on behalf of the allied cause before and since America entered the war. This was announced here today. This is regarded as an unusual distinction, for the reason that few citizens are appointed to the Legion of Honor or are being made in war time.

## PLEAD NOT GUILTY

New York, July 31.—Captain Aubrey W. Vaughn of the quartermasters corps, Felix Gould, a manufacturer and David L. Pedell, a lawyer, pleaded not guilty to charges of conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with the federal contract today. Bail was fixed at \$10,000 in the cases of Captain Vaughn and Gould and Pedell was put under \$5,000 bond.

## GOVERNMENT WILL BEGIN TO RECRUIT COMMON LABOR

## Requirements for War Industries Apportioned To States

New York, July 31.—The federal government will tomorrow take over in every state recruiting of common labor for furtherance of the war. Labor requirements for war industries have been apportioned to the various states on a basis of population and as men are needed they will move forward to meet demand wherever this may be. The aim is to eliminate the wasteful turnover of labor; stabilize wages; increase production of essentials and give efficient support to the American in the trenches who needs from six to ten men to work for him in this country every day he is in France.

Announcement of this plan was made at a luncheon given in New York today to Secretary of Labor Wilson by Grosvenor B. Clarkson, secretary of the Council of National Defense to a gathering of newspaper publishers. Mr. Wilson made an address in which he dwelt on problems facing the government in the matter of mobilizing labor in the United States and the steps taken to meet the situation. John B. Densmore, director general of the federal employment service, outlined in detail the drastic plans which will result in prompt transfer of work from the fields where they are most needed and from the non-essential to the essential industry.

Independent recruiting of common labor by plants employing over one hundred men will be diverted effective August 1 to the United States employment service and there will be restrictions on private advertising for labor. At the same time the project will be conducted with the least possible injury to labor as a whole.

Under methods adopted the country has been divided into thirteen federal districts, each district in charge of a superintendent of the federal employment service. The states within each district are in turn in charge of a state director, who has full control of service within his state. In order that each community may be fully protected rulings have been made that no labor shall be transported out of the community by the United States employment service without the approval of the state director; nor shall any labor be removed from the service from one state to another without the approval of the United States employment service at Washington.</



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The crown prince of Germany has been nicknamed "Rabbit Face" because of late he has shown ability as a runner.

The East St. Louis Dispatch says: "It is quite proper that 'Rabbit Face,' as well as the Kaiser, Ludendorff and von Hindenburg should remain out of the line of danger. Should they be killed, there would be no further cause for the war, and the worst hindrance to democracy in Germany would be removed."

The blows inflicted on the Hun by now is developing a disposition among neutral States to differ with the Kaiser, with some show of self assertion. The "all-highest" hasn't time to hit back, he is too busy counting American troops.

The work or fight order with which Provost Marshal General Crowder set the country to thinking and talking, has been extended to men who are not reached by the National Army draft. It develops now that every man in the country must work or fight regardless of his station in life, be he rich or poor, married or single, industrious or lazy, powerful or weak.

According to reports made by the crown prince to the German people their forces are never thrown back—they are "ordered" to retire. There are no reverses from their statements. Retreats are "strategic movements," long planned. Positions are not untenable, but tactically expedient to hold New triumphs are added to the record of the crown prince by retirement.

## RATIONING TOBACCO.

Government control of the tobacco supply of the United States and the rationing of tobacco users is forecast in Washington dispatches. This bit of news will be most pleasing to non-users of tobacco, leaders of anti-cigarette societies and anti-tobacco clubs. The war industries board offers the explanation that tobacco requirements abroad are such that American manufacturers will have approximately two-thirds of the home-grown tobacco crop of 1917. The balance, about 346,000,000 pounds of leaf, will be available for export to the Allies. Tobacco issued to armed forces of France, England and Italy amounts to about 173,000,000 pounds a year. There three countries use 387,000,000 pounds more than the United States is able to export.

Just how tobacco rationing

will be performed is not made clear. Whether it will take the form of limiting the amount dealers may have and offer for sale, or whether individual users will be given ration cards, is not yet announced.

It is safe to say that the American people will accept the situation cheerfully, as they have accepted food and lighting and housing regulations. — Detroit Press

**NOT NEARLY OVER.**  
The State Council of Defense has addressed to the people of Illinois a warning against undue exhibitions of exultation over recent successes attained by the Americans in France. The advice should be heeded.

"The war is not nearly over," says the warning. "Peace is not in sight. Berlin—even the Rhine or the French and Belgian eastern boundaries—is a long way back of the fighting line. There is yet a long road—thru travail and sorrow, and sacrifice—which Americans must tread before the peace which will satisfy our civilization can be won."

"Therefore, if we are wise we will not fall into the habit of thinking that the war is over. We will not act as tho the end were in sight. Such thinking, such talking, is after the manner of the Germans. We have jeered at them for it, and have scorned their boasting 'Nach Paris' times over."

"Let us not try to match their egotism. It would serve our enemy to have us do that. Rather let us fortify our souls for the sacrifices we must make; let us strengthen our determination to go thru until complete victory is won."

The council directs our attention to the attitude of the soldiers in France, who are not saying the war is over, but are just going ahead with their work—fighting, enduring and sacrificing. It adjures us to make our attitude like unto theirs and, recognizing the variant for the education and its wholeheartedness, we will obey. The American people will keep their heads, no matter what degree of enthusiasm they show when their soldiers win.

**WHEN WILL THE WAR END?**  
The great question as to when the war will end has at last been solved, this time by an unknown "seer" who has sent a letter to Assistant Postmaster J. J. Doyle of the Great Lakes Naval Training station enclosing a table of figures, based on the date of birth, first year of leadership, present age, and length of office of eight leaders of the principal Allies.

The informant is positive the war will end this year. He points out that the total for each leader is 3836 which, divided by two, gives 1918.

Here are the uncanny figures as published by the Great Lakes Bulletin:

President Wilson born .....	1856
Was elected .....	1912
Years ruling .....	6
Years old .....	62
Total .....	3836
President of France born .....	1860
Was elected .....	1912
Years ruling .....	6
Years old .....	58
Total .....	3836
King of Italy born .....	1867
Started to rule .....	1900
Years ruling .....	18
Years old .....	51
Total .....	3836
King of Serbia born .....	1844
Started to rule .....	1903
Years ruling .....	13
Years old .....	74
Total .....	3836
King of England born .....	1865

Started to rule .....	1900
Years ruling .....	8
Years old .....	53
Total .....	3836
King of Belgium born .....	1875
Started to rule .....	1900
Years ruling .....	18
Years old .....	43
Total .....	3836
Czar of Russia born .....	1868
Started to rule .....	1894
Years ruling .....	24
Years old .....	50

Total .....	3836
Emperor of Japan born .....	1879
Started to rule .....	1912
Years ruling .....	6
Years old .....	39
Total .....	3836

Divide 3836 by two and the result is 1918, when the war will end.

"Remarkable as the figures may seem," adds the Bulletin, "any earnest student of the Blue-Jacket's Manual, who is preparing for his work in sending the 'treat-em-rough' boys over there with the cold steel argument can tell you who the winner will be, and perhaps that is the most important part, after all."

"Which suggests the saying: 'Figures don't lie—but liars will figure, and judging by the number of times Von Hindenburg has figured on reaching Paris, he is some figurer.'"

RIPPLING RHYMS  
By Walt Mason

**HYMN OF HATE.**  
Last night I sat up pretty late indulging in a lot of hate. I hated all our Teuton foes, their hearts, their whiskers and their toes; I hated Hindenburg and Bill, and Ludendorff, with right good will. From 10 o'clock till half past one I hated every beastling Hun, and hoped his name might yet be mud. I ground my teeth and sweated blood. And so today I'm feeling punk; there's lassitude thruout my trunk; my head aches in a horrid way, I have no appetite for hay; a shooting pain is in my lung, and I have moss upon my tongue, the gripes disturb my ample waist, my mouth is full of dark green taste. I don't suppose I maimed a foe by hating, long hours thru. And so I realize today that all my hate was thrown away; alas, to waste a hundredweight of all-world-and-a-yard-wide hate! The Teutons have for many years been soaked in hatred to their ears; they lapped up hatred from their birth; it fattened them, increased their girth; their kultur has it for a base, it thrives in every Prussian place. So they can hate the hours away, an not be cramped up next day. But hatred here seems coarse and rude, for kindness was our infant food. It makes us bilious, sick and sore, and life becomes a dreary bore.

**THIS DATE IN HISTORY**  
August 1, 1867—Jacob Strawn, of Jacksonville, succeeded in obtaining one hundred milk cows to be sent to Memphis, Tenn. These have been received in Springfield from Mechanicsburg and eight from Brush Creek.

**Crysbear and J. F. C. will finish the season at the Jacksonville Driving Club.**  
**VIGOROUS SCHOOL DISCIPLINE**  
In the early days of the county the successful school teacher was one who generally made good use of the rod and, as a rule, taught the pupils something and had respect in addition. The late James F. Cowdin of Joy Prairie was one of the country pedagogues who succeeded under adverse circumstances. He had returned from service in the army and had been asked to take the school at Arcadia. There were several large fellows in the school who rather prided themselves on being able to down any teachers sent there.

The morning he began he called three or four up to the desk and told them if they behaved, well and good; if not they would have to take the consequences. They bristled up and showed fight but the teacher was ready for them. He had provided himself with a piece of a stout wagon spoke and went after them, downing them and gave them a drubbing they never forgot and didn't need again.

Speaking of Mr. Cowdin, Taylor Henderson of this place was one of the pupils and says he got along with him all right. Taylor used to like hunting pretty well and was none too industrious and the teacher called him Coon hunter.

An unruly boy was Clyde Stockton. The teachers told the school each pupil might whisper three times in the day by holding up the hand and asking permission. In the fourth reader class young Stockton began showing off and after it was over Mr. Cowdin went to his seat, pulled him out by the coat collar, bent him over a seat, raised his coat and spanking him till he yelled for mercy. The young chap concluded it would pay better to behave after that.

After a while his old propensity for evil manifested itself in another way and the teacher went for him, took him by the coat collar and shook him like a rat till he could hardly breathe. Bill Anderson and Bill Ward were two others who thought to be smart. With his eye directed toward them the teacher said, one morning, "Coon hunter; the first time you come across two good looking hickories cut them and bring them to me."

Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, living on route 4, have come to Nebraska for a visit with relatives.

## Local Food Price Bulletin

## REVISED FOOD PRICES

(Approved by Food Administration)

The following prices for foodstuffs in Jacksonville have been approved by the food administration. The prices are given which the retailer pays and which the consumer should pay:

Articles—	Retailer Pays	Consumer Should Pay
Bread, 1 pound .....	8c	9c to 10c
Bread, 1½ pounds .....	12c	14c to 15c
Beans, navy .....	12c to 14c	15c to 18c
Beans, lima .....	15c to 16c	18c to 20c
Butter, creamery .....	44c to 45c	47c to 50c
Butterine .....	28c to 31c	31c to 36c
American cheese, whole .....	27c to 29c	27c to 29c
American cheese, cut .....	27c to 29c	35c to 40c
Eggs .....	30c to 32c	32c to 35c
Flour, ½ barrel .....	\$1.38 to \$1.48	\$1.46 to \$1.63

## Flour Substitutes

Articles—	Retailer Pays	Consumer Should Pay
Barley flour .....	6c to 6½c	7c to 7½c
Corn flour .....	6c to 6½c	7c to 7½c
Rice flour .....	11c to 11½c	12½c to 14c
Corn meal .....	5c to 6c	6c to 7c
Roller oats .....	6c to 6½c	7½c to 8c
Rice .....	9c to 12c	12c to 15c
Buckwheat flour .....	7½c to 7¾c	8c to 8½c
Cracked hominy .....	6c to 6½c	7½c to 8c
Hominy grits .....	6c to 6½c	7½c to 8c
Potato flour .....	11½c to 12c	13c to 15c
Lard .....	27c to 30c	30c to 35c
Lard compound .....	24c to 26c	26c to 32c
Bacon, 4 to 6 pounds, whole piece .....	44c to 48c	48c to 52c
Bacon, 8 to 10 pounds, whole .....	38c to 40c	41c to 45c
Whole hams .....	30c to 32c	33c to 37c
Milk, large .....	11c to 12c	14c to 15c
Milk, condensed .....	18c to 19c	20c to 23c
Corn syrup, dark, 10 pound cans .....	42c to 45c	44c to 47c
Corn syrup, dark, 5 pound cans .....	33c to 35c	40c to 44c
Corn syrup, white, 10 pound cans .....	11c to 12c	14c to 15c
Corn syrup, white, 5 pound cans .....	70c to 75c	84c to 90c
Corn syrup, white, 1½ pound cans .....	37c to 38c	45c to 48c
Potatoes, 15 lb. lots, new .....	12c to 13c	14c to 16c
Salmon, Red Alaska, dozen .....	37½c to 40c	45c to 50c
Prunes, 40-50 .....	\$2.80 to \$3.00	27c to 33c
Prunes, 60-70 .....	13c to 14c	16c to 18c
Sugar .....	12c to 13c	15c to 17c
Sugar .....	\$8.38 to \$8.91	9½c to 10c

FROM COUNTY  
AGENT'S OFFICE

Visit of Assistant State Entomologist.

W. P. Flint, Assistant State Entomologist of the State of Illinois made an inspection of corn fields in Morgan county to determine why the corn is falling down. As a result of this inspection Mr. Flint makes the following statements:

## Why the Corn Falls Down.

The damage is being done by the Northern Corn Root Worm. This insect lays its eggs in the ground in corn fields during the last of August and September. These eggs hatch the following June into a little white worms, which work their way rapidly thru the soil, and if corn is growing in the vicinity, they will soon locate it and begin feeding in the tips of the roots.

## Tunneling of Roots.

They work back and forth tunneling out the inside of the root and when they have killed one root will move thru the soil to a fresh one. They complete their growth during July and, at the present time, are coming out of the ground in the form of a little pale green beetle. These may be found in abundance in nearly all corn fields and also on golden rod, sunflowers and other fall blooming flowers, feeding upon the pollen. They go to the corn fields however to lay their eggs and feed in the warm stage only upon the roots of corn.

## Combating the Insects.

This makes it very easy to combat them where corn is being injured this year, if the land is put in any other crop but corn for the following season, no injury will occur. This is not a new insect but has been causing damage to corn in this state almost as long as it has been present here. It is one of the insects that while it is exceedingly destructive, tends to promote better farming from the fact that it will compel a man to rotate his corn crop whether he desires to or not.

## Specimens.

Specimens of the larvae, mature insects and injured corn may be seen at the office in the Morgan County Court House.

## GAVE BENEFIT RECITAL.

A number of young women from this city gave a recital at the Congregational church at Waverly Tuesday evening as a Red Cross benefit. It was a program of reading and music and was heard by an interested audience, a goodly sum being raised for the Red Cross work. The program included a violin solo by Miss Helen Sorrells, readings by Miss Bernice Wood, a piano solo by Miss Isabel Wyant, and a vocal selection by Miss Hilma Franz.

## FERNANDES FUNERAL AT BEARDSTOWN TODAY

Word has been received that the remains of Harold Fernandes will arrive in this city this morning at 11 o'clock by auto. Services will be held in Beardstown and interment made at Calvary cemetery in this city. The body will be brought to this city from Beardstown via Arenzville, coming in on the Chapin road. Many from here plan to meet the funeral cortege before it reaches Jacksonville.

## MAYOR RODGERS FILES PETITION

Mayor H. J. Rodgers has filed with the secretary of state his petition as a candidate for Democratic nomination for member of the legislature in this district. The document was filed late Tuesday afternoon.

## WILL VISIT FORMER CHARGE

Dr. W. E. Spoonst will go to Camp Taylor today with the Morgan county soldiers. He is planning to stop at Washington, Ind., on his return trip. That was Dr. Spoonst's first pastorate, as he went there directly from theological seminary. He is with pleasure anticipating meeting a number of his long time friends and will probably occupy the pulpit of his former charge.

WINCHESTER BOY  
BREAKS ARM IN FALL

George Peak, Jr., Brought to Passavant Hospital for Treatment—Five Scott County Limited Service Men Leave for Syracuse—Other Items of Interest.

Winchester, July 31.—George Peak, Jr., aged 9 years, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Peak, met with a painful accident today when he fell off the horse he was riding and broke his right arm at the elbow.

The lad was riding the horse at the home of his parents and had started out toward the garden, when in some manner he became overbalanced and fell heavily to the ground, striking in such a manner as to fracture the bone of the arm.

Lieut. William O'Reilly was summoned and after an examination of the arm deemed it best to have the little fellow brought to Jacksonville where a more thorough diagnosis of the injury could be made.

Accordingly, accompanied by his parents and uncle, George Stuart, the child was taken to the city where Dr. C. E. Black examined the injured member and had the boy taken to Passavant Hospital where an X-ray examination was made.

George, Jr., will be a patient at the hospital for several days until the results of the X-ray examination can be obtained showing the exact nature of the fracture, which is said to be a complicated one and hard to set.

**Limited Service Men Leave**  
Five Scott county men left here tonight for Syracuse, New York. They were limited service men specially inducted into military service thru the local board under a call for guards and firemen at eastern ports. They will first go to Syracuse Recruit Camp at the state fair grounds, near Syracuse, for preliminary training and to receive their equipment. They will not see service abroad under existing regulations. The men who left tonight were: Otto L. Priest, Cordell H. Moke, William J. Welch, John B. Kelly and Elmer R. Addison.

**Jones Sale Well Attended**  
The sale held by George Jones Wednesday was well attended and the offerings brought good prices. The sale was held at the farm in the Coal Hollow neighborhood and consisted of Jersey milk cows and sheep. Arthur Kitchen of Lynville and Len Goacher of Manchester acted as auctioneers; W. L. Bagshaw of Winchester, Clerk. The ladies of the Red Cross chapter at Manchester served lunch.

**Cammer Funeral Notice**  
Funeral services for Edwin Cammer will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Methodist church. Interment will be made at Winchester cemetery.

**News Notes**  
Paul Mason arrived Tuesday night from St. Louis for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams Watt left Wednesday for a few days' visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Cora Rickart visited relatives in Jacksonville Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Story of Jacksonville were visitors Wednesday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson.

Mrs. Charles N. Priest and daughter, Miss Lula were visitors in Winchester today.

**Wanted — Ladies for trimming chickens; good pay. Apply Produce Company, Swift & Co.**

## HARRISON CORBRIDGE BUYS MITCHELL SIX

Yesterday Babb & Gibbs sold and delivered to Harrison Corbridge, a merchant of Bluffs, a six cylinder Mitchell touring car.

## DR. TRAPP HAS COMMISSION IN MEDICAL RESERVE

Dr. Albert Trapp of Springfield has been commissioned a captain in the medical reserve corps and is soon to report for duty at Yale hospital, New Haven, Conn. Mrs. Trapp, who was Miss Lydia Layton prior to her marriage, is a daughter of Mrs. M. E. Layton of this city. During her husband's absence Mrs. Trapp will take a business position in Chicago.

It is said that Dr. Trapp has come of a lineage in which he can be especially proud in these days. His grandfather while a student at a German university was imprisoned because of his democratic beliefs and his open advocacy of the idea of people governing themselves. He escaped from prison into Switzerland and thence into England.

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Deceased

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This farm is located one-half (½) mile South of Concord, Illinois. It is well improved, and all in a high state of cultivation, and all tillable.

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## CITY AND COUNTY

Miss Effie Hart was a city shopper from Girard yesterday. Louis Peritz helped represent Markham in the city yesterday. J. H. Lindsey was a city arrival from Limerick yesterday. Miss Lilly Chapman was a city shopper from Bluffs yesterday. Benjamin Davenport drove his Buick car to the city yesterday. Porter Young helped represent Limerick in the city yesterday. Miss Pearl Starr was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday. S. H. Edwards of Tallula was a city caller yesterday. Perry Smothers of Winchester paid the city a visit yesterday. W. E. Benton helped represent Hersman in the city yesterday. George Roach of Limerick made the city a visit yesterday.

## WHEN YOU LUNCH OR DINE

—These are days when necessary food restrictions make service more difficult. However, you will enjoy a luncheon or dinner here. Quality and Service are always paramount.

## PEACOCK INN

South Side Square

Ivan Gray of Franklin was a traveler to the city yesterday. A. L. Gans of Buffalo was a caller on city people yesterday. C. M. Stevens was down to the city from Springfield yesterday. George Knapp was a city visitor from Winchester yesterday. George Cline of Franklin was a city visitor yesterday. W. G. Cain of Chicago was called to the city on business yesterday. J. C. Myers of Springfield was transacting business in the city yesterday. Jefferson Wilson and family were down to the city from Chandler yesterday. Mrs. Harrison Corbridge of Bluffs was numbered among the city arrivals yesterday. Mrs. J. C. McGinnis of the northwest part of the county was a city caller yesterday. Ernest Clark of Limerick was among the visitors in town yesterday. Frank Knight of White Hall was a pilgrim to the city yesterday. Louis Minners and son were residents of Meredosia in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hiser of Joy Prairie were added to the list of callers yesterday.



**BELL'S**  
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Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart were travelers from Winchester to the city yesterday. Thomas Lonergan of Woodson was among the city business men yesterday. Roy Petefish of Springfield called on Jacksonville friends yesterday. Miss Ada Russwinkle of Meredosia was a shopper with city merchants yesterday. Herman Fritz and wife are rusticated a few days near Quiver Lake. M. M. McLaughlin was a city arrival from Winchester yesterday. Miss Alice Northrup made a trip from Bluffs to the city yesterday. A. J. Moore of Springfield was attending to his interests in the city yesterday. Herman Kleinschmidt of Arenzville was among the visitors in the city yesterday. Miss Fanny McAllister of Bluffs made a visit in the city yesterday. Miss Lizzie Coultas helped represent Winchester in the city yesterday. Irvin Coultas was a city arrival from Winchester yesterday. W. W. Hooper of Baylis was among the arrivals in the city yesterday. Mrs. A. D. Fernandes has gone to visit her daughter, Mrs. Howard Davis at McCausland, Iowa. Joseph Lifer of Limerick traveled down to the city yesterday. James Petefish of Springfield was calling on some of his Jacksonville friends yesterday. William Sargent of Markham, resident with city people yesterday. W. E. Knapp made a business trip from Winchester to the city yesterday. Henry Hornbeck was a traveler from Winchester to the city yesterday. John Ross of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday. J. H. Northrup and family were up to the city from Bluffs yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aitor and little daughter are enjoying an outing at Quiver Lake. H. A. Brewer of Virginia was looking after his interests in the city yesterday. J. H. Honey of Golden Eagle was a transient guest in the city yesterday. Edward Pond and family were among the visitors in the city from Meredosia yesterday. Miss Corie Bruening of Meredosia was among the shoppers in the city yesterday. Clarence Roberts was a city representative of Naples yesterday. G. E. Steinburg and son traveled from Meredosia to the city yesterday. Floyd Goodpasture and wife of the vicinity of Concord were city arrivals yesterday. Lawrence Ryan made a business trip from Franklin to the city yesterday. Robert Stewart helped represent Winchester in the city yesterday. Mrs. John Steinburg of the vicinity of Meredosia was among the city arrivals yesterday. Clarence Reuter of Naples had business transacting him to the city yesterday. Mrs. Blanche Goodpasture of the vicinity of Grace Chapel called on city people yesterday. Mrs. C. J. Craig of the vicinity of Murrayville paid her city friends a visit yesterday. Mrs. Howard Carriel of Markham was a shopper with city merchants yesterday. Mrs. Arthur Ornellas of the east part of the county was a city caller yesterday. H. H. Massey of the southeast part of the county was a city visitor yesterday. Edward Bradley, the manager of the elevator at Woodson, was a city caller yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. David Smith of Arcadia had occasion to visit the city yesterday. Mrs. Fanny Griswold was a city shopper from White Hall yesterday. Henry Strawn of Strawn's Crossing was a caller in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Doyle of Franklin vicinity called on city people yesterday. Albert Crum of Limerick was among the business visitors in town yesterday. Mrs. John Munson of Meredosia was a caller on Jacksonville friends yesterday. Miss Stella Cassell was one of the city arrivals from Bluffs yesterday. Miss Bessie Chapman of Bluffs visited Mrs. John Chapman, 335 Wolcott street yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lippert, son and daughter, were city arrivals yesterday from Concord. William L. Carlton and family made a trip from Winchester to the city yesterday. Edgar Cully of Strawn's Crossing vicinity was a caller in the city yesterday. Mrs. Charles Watts was a city shopper from Winchester yesterday. Mrs. Eugene Knight was a representative of White Hall in the city yesterday. Fred Baxter and son traveled from Winchester to the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. John Goffinet of Meredosia were among the callers in the city yesterday. Mrs. Jesse Willard and daughter were city arrivals from Concord yesterday. Miss Della Goodpasture of the vicinity of Grace Chapel was a city shopper yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rexroat traveled down to the city from Arcadia yesterday. Charles Roach and wife were city callers from Limerick yesterday. Mrs. August Waltman has gone to visit her mother, Mrs. M. E. Cully at Ashbury. Miss Ada Bruening of Meredosia was a shopper with city merchants yesterday. Miss May Parlier of the northwest part of the county was among the city callers yesterday. Mrs. W. T. Scott of the east part of the county was a city visitor yesterday. Penn Wright of the town of

Manchester was among the city arrivals yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. John Simms of Palmyra were travelers to the city yesterday. William Rexroat of Arenzville was attending to his interests in the city yesterday. B. A. Johnson of Limerick traveled down to the city on business yesterday. Dean Wilday of Meredosia was among the business men of the city yesterday. J. C. Berger of the Overland Berger-Pine Co., attended a picnic at Arenzville yesterday. James Roark and family journeyed from Winchester to the city yesterday. Luther and William J. Northrup of Chapin were among the city's guests yesterday. Elmer Duvalack of Meredosia was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday. Miss Addie Nergenah of the west part of the county was a city shopper yesterday. Miss Lizzie Coultas helped represent Winchester in the city yesterday. Miss Esther Brockhouse of Meredosia was a shopper with city merchants yesterday. Judge F. C. Funk of Winchester was attending to business matters at Arenzville yesterday. Mrs. Mae Black of Ye Booke Shoppe, expected to start to St. Louis today for a visit of two weeks with friends. Mrs. Charles Black and daughter Mary of the south part of the county were visitors in town yesterday. Joel Strawn and wife of the vicinity of Orleans were added to the list of city arrivals yesterday. Mrs. Thomas Duffner and children have returned from a visit with Mrs. Duffner's parents in Springfield. Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Thompson of Brighton, Kans., are visiting at the home of Dudley Hunter, 914 North Main street. Mrs. Thompson was formerly Miss Charlotte Morris of this city. Mrs. J. Oliver Calda left Saturday for Louisville, Ky. to be with her husband who is stationed at Camp Taylor. John and Reuben Oikler, Lewis and Clarence Manigold were all city arrivals from Beverly yesterday. Mrs. Goldie Woodward and daughter Ura of Camp Point are guests at the pleasant home of Mrs. C. E. Allen on East College avenue. Mrs. W. F. Kendall of Mt. Sterling is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ada N. Bartlett and brother, R. L. Bartlett on South Clay avenue. The brother is to go with the soldiers today. Mrs. and Mrs. William Kircher, M. L. Spongel and Leslie Kircher were city arrivals yesterday from Dow, six miles below Jerseyville. They came here on business attracted by the good things of Jacksonville. J. E. Wichita, formerly of Jacksonville, now a prominent insurance agent of St. Louis, is in the city visiting friends after an absence of 16 months. He will be remembered by many of the local billiard fans as being an artist at the game.

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**RED CROSS NOTES**  
The local Red Cross chapter has received the following communication from Howard W. Fenton, manager of the central division, with reference to work during the coming weeks. According to this letter the making of Front Line parcels will be discontinued for the present. Announcement to Chapters making Front Line Parcels. (143) During the months of May, June and July quotas of Front Line Parcels have been assigned to several Chapters in this division. We are now in receipt of information that the making of these parcels will be discontinued in view of the fact that an adequate supply is on hand. For this reason it will not be possible to issue a quota of surgical dressings to your chapter for the month of August. As soon as the current quota of Front Line Parcels has been completed, please discontinue the production of them and close your surgical dressings workrooms until the beginning of September. We will endeavor to issue a quota of surgical dressings for the month of September before the end of August. Wherever possible, workers who have been engaged in the making of surgical dressings should turn their attention to the production of other articles, which the chapter may be turning out on quota. At the same time, workers should hold themselves in readiness for any emergency call for surgical dressings which may arise. Please accept our appreciation of your co-operation. Very truly yours, Howard W. Fenton, Manager Central Division.

**IS NOW CHIEF YEOMAN**  
Theodore Hagel of the Jacksonville Farm Supply Company has received word of the recent promotion of his son, Ernest Hagel at the Great Lakes Naval Training station. The young man entered the naval station eight months ago. He was first promoted to third class yeoman, then to second class yeoman and recently to chief yeoman. His progress has been rapid which is a source of gratification to his many friends.

**MATT STARR POST ATTENTION:**  
Members of the Post are urgently requested to meet at six o'clock this morning on the Woman's College campus to escort the boys to the C. & A. station and give them a royal send-off. Get a hustle on yourself and come out. J. M. Swales, Commander. C. E. McDougall, Adjutant.

## W. H. CRUM VISITED CONCORD SUNDAY

Made Trip in Interest of County Sunday School Convention to be Held in August—Other Concord News.

Concord, July 31.—W. H. Crum, of Limerick, was here on Sunday in the interest of the County Sunday School convention at Alexander, Aug. 15-16. Mr. Crum has many friends in and around Concord who had the pleasure of meeting him once more. He had the pleasure of listening to one of Minister Cantrell's sermons once more on Sunday morning. Miss Grace McHorton, R. N., has been visiting her friend, Mrs. Ethelyn Plank. Mrs. L. L. Zerby of Eureka, was a Concord visitor last week, and called upon "Uncle" G. W. Roeschler and family. She visited her brother, J. J. Rayborn. Minister C. G. Cantrell went to Jacksonville bright and early on Saturday morning with a team and wagon and brought back a big load of hard coal for next winter's use. Clyde and Owen Smith of Grace Chapel neighborhood, attended church here with their uncle, M. C. Smith. The Christian Sunday school will hold their annual picnic at Nichols park on Wednesday, August 14th. The superintendent, Roy Abernathy was authorized to invite the M. E. school and the Methodist Protestant school to attend also, and make a good time for all. The fourth number of the union services was held at the M. E. church on Sunday night. Rev. C. A. Fairchild delivered the sermon. Rev. Thomas Simons presided and took part in the service. The next meeting will be held at the Christian church, and the sermon by one of the pastors. Minister C. G. Cantrell went to Arenzville, and spoke to the M. E. congregation, of which Rev. Simons is pastor. The Christian church is making ready to announce the date of the annual Donation Sale, which will be some time next fall. The wheat threshing is about completed in this section and oats are being threshed now. The yield of wheat was excellent. Charles Audenkamp got about 2700 bushels from 100 acres. August Brockhouse had about 2,000 bushels from 90 acres. John Alderson about 600 bushels from 70 acres. The grade was exceptionally good. Harry Brockhouse had the highest grade in his school district. His 28 acres yielded 25 bushels an acre, and tested 62. A great deal of our wheat tested 61, and we heard of one field near Chapin that tested 63 pounds to the bushel. The high price of \$2.15 and \$2.13 brought thousands of bushels to the elevators at Chapin. A novel sight was the use of a new Heider tractor pulling a string of freight cars up to the elevator. There seems to be no limit to the use of the tractor. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brockhouse of Arenzville, M. Voltman of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. John Eiler of Chapin, were Sunday callers at the home of August Brockhouse. Brockhouse Brothers of Arenzville will soon install a Lalley electric light plant at the residence of August Brockhouse which

will be a great improvement over the kerosene lamp.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Neinhoffer were Jacksonville callers on Tuesday.

W. H. Williamson received a truck load of hard coal from Jacksonville on Monday. It was over two tons.

On account of the war and the busy season, the Brockhouse picnic has been postponed for one year.

It is reported that George P. Brown has sold his farm north-west of here to Henry Zulauf. Mr. Brown's two sons are in training as soldiers and Mrs. Brown is not so strong as she was before her fall.

The Misses Mary and Martha Brockhouse of Jacksonville have been visiting their brother, Sam Brockhouse and other relatives.

Mrs. Hall of Versailles was visiting at Elmer Plank's over Sunday. She has been taking treatment at Jacksonville, and returns to her home now.

"Grandpa" McCown is in a very serious condition again.

There was a very large attendance at the M. E. Sunday school last Sunday, 134 being present.

## MORGAN

Charles A. Taylor is planning to spend a few days at Camp Taylor, Ky., in the near future.

Austin Moody spent Saturday evening and Sunday with his cousin, Walter Williams.

Mrs. George Coulson and daughter Noda are visiting in Kansas City at present.

C. E. Drake and his son John attended the Tractor demonstration in Bluffs last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dodd spent Sunday with Mrs. Kate Swettart and family.

Miss Ruth Moody and Walter Williams were business visitors in Jacksonville last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Roy Sawyer spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Clyde Funk and children visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Hatches last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams and family and C. E. Williams and wife were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Maggie Moody south of Chapin.

Mrs. Clyde Taylor is quite sick.

at present. Her many friends hope to hear of a speedy recovery.

Irvin Coulson is progressing nicely plowing his stubble with his new tractor, purchased of Mr. Hall of Jacksonville last week.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**  
Patrick H. Lonergan to Effa M. Walters, warranty deed to part of lot 8 block 1, Lorton & Keddies south addition to Jacksonville, \$1,800.

Effa M. Walters to French Want warranty deed to lot 20 A, J. Fos' subdivision to Jacksonville, \$1,800.

J. H. Cole by executor to Sarah E. Smith part of lot 59 C. J. Sailer's first addition to Waverly, \$560.

J. O. Ralston to Charles Kelley warranty deed to south half of the south half of the southeast quarter of 17-13-9, \$1,900.

Cyrus Wright made a trip from Murrayville to the city yesterday.

## WEATHER FOR JULY.

George H. Hall, United States weather observer at Alexander furnishes the following figures on the weather for July.

Mean maximum temperature was 87-10. Mean minimum temperature 61. Mean temperature 74-10 or 2-10 below normal. The highest temperature was recorded on July 25 when the mercury reached 100. The lowest was 48 recorded on July 31.

Total rainfall for the month was 2 21-16 inches or 2 24-100 inches below normal. Number of rainy days 5, clear, 17, partly cloudy, 7 and cloudy, 7.

## FILED PETITION.

Truman P. Carter filed his petition Wednesday with County Clerk Boruff for the Republican nomination for County Superintendent of Schools.

Everet DeSilva and wife of Centerville were among the city visitors yesterday.

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NEW FEDERAL TAX BILL  
HIT AUTO OWNERS HARD

Graduated Tax on Cars Agreed to By House Ways and Means Committee—Also Agree to 2 Cent Tax Per Gallon on Production of Gasoline.

Washington, July 31.—A federal graduated tax on the use of automobiles running from \$10 a year on cars originally retailed at

not exceeding \$500 to a \$6 tax on \$3,000 and \$20 additional for each \$500 above \$3,000, was agreed to today by the house ways and means committee which is framing the new \$8,000,000,000 revenue bill.

The tax applies directly to the owners, while the tax of ten per cent on gross sales of automobiles and five per cent on gross sales of automobile trucks, agreed to yesterday applies to the manufacturers, producers, and importers of cars. While the tax on use of cars is based on

the listed price of the cars regardless of the year of manufacture.

The committee also agreed to a tax of two cents per gallon on the production of gasoline and a federal excise tax of \$5 a year on the use of motorcycles. Members of the committee stated that while the manufacturers' tax and the owners' tax are differentiated, it is generally believed the owners ultimately will have to pay all the tax the manufacturers passing on the tax in increased prices. The automobile and the motorcycle excise tax is expected to yield approximately \$125,000,000 and the gasoline tax \$45,000,000. War profiteering was the subject of a prolonged discussion today with technical calculations as to what various schemes would yield in way of revenue as compared with other revenue plans, there was disposition ultimately to agree on some additional form of tax to reach large corporations making heavy profits that might not be taxed sufficiently under the excess profits and corporation income tax rates. Chairman Kitchen of the house ways and means committee explained that while war profits as a separate proposition were passed over the excess profits schedule includes war profits. He said the excess profits tax will reach the corporations making large profits both before and after the beginning of the European war and under that schedule concerns making 100 per cent profits on invested capital turn over a heavy revenue to the government after the regular deductions had been made.

ODD CALM OVER AISNE-MARNE BATTLE AREA

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tage. The Germans began pouring into the place, and the Americans opened fire. Two enemy companies were virtually annihilated. The Americans used machine guns, rifles, pistols and employed both the bayonet and the rifle butt with great effectiveness. The fighting in the streets was savage, but of comparative brief duration. Then the Americans waited the coming of other Germans, but they came not. So French and Americans together moved beyond the village.

When the Germans learned that the Americans in Serinnes were winning, they used their artillery and there is unquestionable evidence that numerous Germans were killed by German shells. Some prisoners taken declared that the orders were that the Germans must hold on at all costs. Among the prisoners were attached to the Fifth Food Guards, from Lorraine, and others who had been on leave in Germany, who said that the German people were thoroughly tired of the war and did not care who governed so long as the war came to an end.

The Germans are now using high explosive shells simultaneously with gas shells. The high explosives are designed to drown "the pop" of the gas projectiles, which the allies have learned to distinguish from the others. The percentage of gas casualties is low as a result of the discovery of the German trick, because the allies generally anticipate attacks with gas.

HERE FROM MARYLAND CAMP

John Shields, Jr., is in the city on a furlough visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Shields on Lafayette avenue. He is now located at Aberdeen, Md., in the ordnance department. Mr. Shields enlisted last December at Detroit, Mich., where he was employed, and he had hoped to be overseas by this time. However, he has been at the Maryland camp for some months, now at the proving field, and does not know just when his company will be sent over. He is in Co. A, Battalion 13, in the ordnance department.

**CRUSADE ORGANIZED**

Chicago, July 31.—The Catholic Students Mission Crusade was organized at a meeting held from July 27 to 30, inclusive, at St. Mary's mission house Techny, Ill., at which one hundred prelates, priests and laymen representing thirty colleges and universities and eight religious orders and missionary societies were in attendance.

EXPLAINS PURPOSE OF  
UNIFICATION PLAN

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Secretary Baker explained the purpose of the unification plan announced by General March today converting fifteen cavalry regiments into field artillery. Chief reason he said is to secure a more perfect co-ordination within the army thru making it possible to readily transfer officers and men from one regiment, brigade or division to another without reference to the original composition of the unit.

Subsequent reasons are to prevent further speculation on the part of the French or British officers as to the military difference existing between a captain who wore the insignia "U. S." on his collar and a captain who wore "U. S. N. A."

The impression also has existed in each of the sub-divisions Mr. Baker said that promotion was more rapid in the others.

Now all officers will be on the same footing so far as their temporary rank is concerned, the regulars, however, will retain their places in the permanent list as fixed by law.

ANOTHER LETTER  
ON PEACE PROSPECTS

Written By Marquis de Lansdowne is Read at Conference of His Excellency.

LONDON, July 31.—Another letter on peace prospects written by the Marquis of Lansdowne, was read at a conference of his supporters today. This latest utterance proposes no new policy, it consists largely of criticism of the allies for their failure to state their war aims more specifically and urges them to take advantage of any opportunity for a discussion of terms. The chief importance of Lord Lansdowne's letter is that he is the only British statesman of first rank who is listed in his own country and abroad, whether correctly or otherwise, as a pacifist, and his words will be given the greatest publicity in the countries of the central powers, where it is insisted they represent a powerful portion of British thought.

Earl Beauchamp presided over the conference and Baron Buckmaster, former lord chancellor and a few pacifist members of the lords and commons attended. A sympathetic letter from Arthur Henderson, the labor leader in the house of commons was read.

Lord Buckmaster said:

"My complaint is that whenever a reasonable suggestion of peace is made on the part of Germany it is always rejected in this country on the ground that it is insincere. The people should insist that all offers of peace be made public. I am uneasy lest the aims for which we entered the war are not the aims for which we are continuing it."

The new Lansdowne letter has been apathetically received in political circles. The general parliamentary opinion is said to be well summarized in the comment of one member of the house of commons:

"The letter is simply an elongation of Lansdowne's previous pronouncement, but it is an elongation leading nowhere."

Declaring that there had been striking statements, Lord Lansdowne writes:

"The most remarkable of these is President Wilson's Fourth of July speech—remarkable both for what it contains and what it omits. It derives additional importance from the fact that our own prime minister immediately and whole heartedly adopted it."

"It is a picture drawn by a great master of the golden age to which we are bidden to look forward. It does not seem however, to provide those who are in search of a basis for preliminary negotiations with the kind of ground work after which they are striving."

"If Germany should intimate her readiness to conform to President Wilson's standards a long advance would have been made in the right direction. The speech is, however, not an outline of peace terms, but a very nobly worded description of the things for which the associated peoples of the world are fighting."

**PROMINENT FRANKLIN MAN DIED SUDDENLY**

Sylvanus Scott Passed Away At Home Early This Morning.

Franklin, August 1.—Sylvanus Scott died suddenly at his home near here at 1:50 o'clock this (Thursday) morning. Death resulted from a stroke of paralysis. He had been ill for several months. He was prominent in farming and stock raising in Morgan county. A more extended notice will be given later.

AGED WOMAN HAS  
NIMBLE FINGERS

The knitting department of the Red Cross received an unusual contribution yesterday when three pairs of socks were sent in from Mrs. Spickel, who is here for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Mrs. U. Zeigler. Mrs. Spickel's home is in Decatur and notwithstanding the fact that she is ninety five years of age, the socks are exceedingly well done. Mrs. Spickel is very deeply interested in doing her part to add to the comfort of the soldiers abroad.

**WILL PREACH AT WOODSON.**

Rev. J. J. Moore, of Alton will preach at the Woodson Presbyterian church next Sunday.

**USE WILSON DOCTRINE**

Chicago, July 31.—Extracts from New Freedom a book written by President Wilson, when governor of New Jersey, were read at the I. W. W. conspiracy trial today.

Lengthy passages from this book were read into the evidence in the testimony of J. A. McQuaid, one of the defendants who said he had used them to recruit new members for the I. W. W.

EARL EPLER HAS  
NARROW ESCAPE

Former Resident Now Lieutenant in Air Service Falls 4,000 Feet—Lives to Tell About It.

Lieutenant Earl Epler, 40, resident of this city fell 4,000 feet while flying at Kelly Field, Texas, July 25, and lived to tell the tale. In fact he suffered only bruises and that he was not killed was almost a miracle.

Lieutenant Epler graphically describes the accident in a letter to his cousin, Miss Effie Epler of this city. Among other things Mr. Epler said that "God was indeed kind to me."

According to the letter Lieutenant Epler was flying with a number of other machines in battle formation. The squadron was just over Kelly Field and flying at an altitude of some 4,000 feet. One of the other flyers collided with Lieutenant Epler's machine rendering the rudder and elevator useless.

Epler's machine went into a nose dive and tho he did everything to right it success did not attend his efforts and it continued on toward the earth. Just about 100 feet from the earth the machine was in an almost straight nose dive. Epler managed to put it into a steep glide at 50 feet and the machine hit the earth. The right wing struck first and crumpled under the machine. The shock broke the safety belt on one side and Epler suffered severe bruises to his head and back.

Lieutenant McGinnis said here recently that Lieutenant Epler was one of the most expert and daring aviators that had been turned out at any aviation field and did stunts that many flyers of years' experience would not attempt.

Those who saw Epler fall spoke in highly commendatory terms of the coolness and courage he displayed thruout and which probably resulted in his escaping with his life.

LAIRY CROWD GREETED  
MISS WRIGHT AT FRANKLIN

University of Illinois Expert Gave Canning Demonstration at Franklin—Eighty Women Present.

Interest is increasing in the canning demonstration being held thruout the county under the auspices of the Morgan county farmers club.

At Franklin Wednesday eighty women gathered in the basement of the Methodist church to witness the demonstration of the cold pack method by Miss Wright, expert from the University of Illinois.

A number of the women brought their own outfits and they were used in the work. Corn, beans, tomatoes, carrots and swiss chard were canned during the demonstration.

A demonstration will be given in the basement of the Christian church in Chapin this afternoon. As this is a community affair there no doubt will be a large attendance there this afternoon.

BIRTH RECORD

Born Tuesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bridgeman, a son, James William.

Born, Monday, July 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hambrough of near Arnold, a daughter, Velma Pauline, weight 7 lbs.

WITH THE SICK

George Richardson, residing at the Point, is seriously ill.

R. P. Joy, residing on West State street has gone to Passavant hospital suffering with an attack of fever.

FUNERALS

**Coffman.**

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Coffman were held from Central Christian church Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in charge of Elder George H. Harney. Music was furnished by Miss Cora Graham. Miss Mary Dewesse, C. L. Mathis, and Herbert J. Henderson. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Catherine Marwin, Miss Mabel Parks, Miss Dorothy Coffman and Miss Rachel Coffman. Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery the bearers being J. A. Crum, H. J. Henderson, James R. Watt, H. C. Clement, C. L. Mathis and William T. Clark.

MATRIMONIAL

**Davis-Bauser.**

Herman Davis and Miss Nellie Bauser both of Mercedia were married Wednesday afternoon at the home of Rev. George T. Wetzel. Mr. Davis is one of the selected men to go to Camp Taylor this morning.

HE LIKES PIKE COUNTY

J. F. Powell of Baylis was a caller in the city yesterday. He gives a glowing account of affairs in his part of Pike county and insists that their hills are more valuable than Morgan and Scott county prairies. Asked why land would sell for about twice as much here as there replied that people were not fully posted; if they were the Pike county farms would soon appreciate in value and the reporter didn't argue with him.

ORGANIZE RED CROSS CLUB

Children living on West College street and vicinity have organized a Liberty club and assist in Red Cross work. Leah Simms is the treasurer and Margaret Phillips secretary. Various activities are planned.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown during the illness and after death of Mrs. Elizabeth Coffman. Also for the many beautiful flowers.

The Family.

Social Events

**Chapin S. S. Class Enjoy Picnic**

At Nichols Park

The Sunbeam Class of the Chapin Christian Church, Miss Ruth Funk, teacher, enjoyed a delightful picnic at Nichols park yesterday. The hours were spent in various ways and the young people departed with happy recollections of the day. Those present were, Miss Ruth Funk, teacher, Mrs. Elmer Sidler and daughter, Miss Helen; Misses Myra Bobbit, Mildred Bridgman, Doris Anderson, Verna Hamilton, Esther McDaniell, Ila Smith, Thelma Brownlow, Gladys Hamilton, Offie McDaniell, Ione Simpson, Bonetta Brewer, Iva Vanter, Lee Lear, Edna McDaniell, and Lucille Baker.

**Mrs. George Thompson Entertained Friends.**

Mrs. George Thompson entertained twelve ladies at dinner Wednesday at her home on South East street. These ladies were all members of the same Sunday school forty five years ago. The afternoon was spent socially and a number of songs were sung that had been used in the Sunday school classes. Two solos were given by Mrs. James McFellen.

**Entertained at Bridge.**

Mrs. Mary L. Cully and Mrs. John W. Hanley entertained on Wednesday afternoon, at the latter's home on Pine street, at bridge, in honor of Mrs. Charles G. Kalin of Rock Island, Ill., who is the guest of Mrs. E. F. Ball.

Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Charles G. Kalin, Mrs. Roy Scott and Mrs. H. L. Caldwell.

Those who attended were Mrs. C. G. Kalin, Mrs. H. L. Caldwell, Mrs. Clyde Singley, Mrs. Roy Scott, Mrs. Addison Taylor, Mrs. Joseph McGinnis, Mrs. John Cain, Mrs. T. C. MacVicar, Mrs. Austin Kingsley, Mrs. John Rose and Mrs. E. F. Ball.

**Farewell Party at Aufdenkamp Home.**

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Aufdenkamp entertained a number of friends recently in honor of four Morgan county boys who are soon to leave for Camp Taylor, W. E. Nienhauser, Gilman Squires, Fred Myer and Arthur Nergenah. Several hours were spent in a pleasant manner with music and conversation and the hostess served delicious refreshments. The house was tastefully decorated for the event, flags and cut flowers being used in great abundance. The young men leave for training camp with the good wishes of a large group of friends.

Hostess to Strawn's Crossing Club.

Mrs. Frank Green was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Strawn's Crossing Woman's Club at her home near Strawn's Crossing. A good attendance of members and several guests were present. Mrs. Harry Martin gave a very interesting paper on "Destruction of Some Famous Buildings and Cities thru the Present War."

The music for the afternoon was furnished by Miss Ruby Cully. After the program a delightful social hour was spent during which the hostess served splendid refreshments.

The club will meet with Miss Anna McDonald, August 13th.

Gave Dinner for Miss Kimmel.

Miss Kimmel, superintendent of Passavant hospital, was the guest of honor at a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening given by the officers of the training school. The occasion was Miss Kimmel's birthday and she was remembered with a beautiful gift of flowers.

MEASURES PERFECT BABY

Mary Lee Carter was added to the list of Morgan County's perfect babies yesterday when she was weighed and measured at the Tuberculous Clinic.

In Order to Comply With  
the Request of the War  
Service Committee

I will announce to the public that I am patriotic and will close my place of business (except Saturday night) at 6:30. My men work from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. In order to accommodate bicycle men who want to leave their wheels till next day, I will keep open till 6:30.

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# WINSON WINS PITCHERS' BATTLE

iples by Ainsmith and John-  
son Defeat Chicago 3 to 2—  
Boston Takes Third Straight—  
Other American League Games.

Chicago, July 31.—Ainsmith's  
ple and Johnson's triple in the  
th inning, coupled with poor  
se running by Chicago in the  
st. inning gave Washington a  
2 to 1 victory today. The game  
s a pitching duel between Shel-  
bach and Johnson, the latter  
eking out eleven men.  
Score:

Washington: AB. R. H. O. A. E.	Shellenbach p 3 0 1 0 0 0
Shotton, lf 5 0 0 4 0 0	Murphy, * 1 0 0 0 0 0
Foster, 3b 4 1 1 2 2 0	Totals 31 2 5 30 12 1
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Shanks, 2b 4 0 0 1 3 0	Chicago 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2
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Johnson, p 3 0 2 0 3 0	Johnson, Judge, Shellenbach, Ains-
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Good, cf 3 1 1 3 0 0	Stolen bases—Milan, Judge. Sac-
Leibold, lf 3 0 1 3 0 0	rifice hits—Milan. Bases on balls
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Schalk, c 4 0 0 5 3 1	Johnson.

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**Wins Third Straight.**  
St. Louis, Mo., July 31.—Bush's hitting was the main factor in Boston's third straight victory over St. Louis today. The score was 8 to 4. The young pitcher got two doubles, two singles and walked from five trips. He drove in four runs and scored two himself.

Boston: AB. R. H. O. A. E.	St. Louis: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Hooper, rf 4 0 1 1 0 0	Tobin, lf 5 1 2 2 0 0
Shean, 2b 5 0 0 1 1 3 0	Maisel, 3b 4 1 1 1 1 3 1
Strunk, cf 5 0 0 5 0 0	Sisler, 1b 5 2 3 7 0 1
Ruth, lf 3 0 0 1 0 0 0	Demmitt, rf 3 0 0 4 0 0
McInnis, 1b 4 2 3 8 0 0	Smith, cf 4 0 1 3 1 0
Scott, ss 4 1 0 2 1 1	Gedeon, 2b 4 0 1 3 1 0
Cochran, 3b 2 2 1 6 2 1	Anstine, ss 3 0 0 3 2 1
Mayer, p 1 0 0 3 0 0	Nunamaker, c 3 0 1 4 2 0
Bush, p 4 2 4 0 2 0	Gallia, p 3 0 0 0 4 1
Totals 36 8 10 27 13 4	Hendryx, * 1 0 1 0 0 0

\*batted for Gallia in 9th.  
Score by innings:  
Boston 8 0 0 3 0 0 0 1 4—8  
St. Louis 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0—4  
Summary:  
Two base hits—Hooper, Bush  
2. Three base hits—Sisler, McInnis. Home run—Sisler. Stolen bases—Cochran. Hooper. Sacrifice hits—Hooper, McInnis, Maisel, Nunamaker. Double plays—Bush, Scott, McInnis. Sacrifice flies—Demmitt, Scott. Bases on balls—off Bush 1; Gallia 6. Hit by pitcher—by Gallia (Cochran twice). Struckout—by Bush 7; by Gallia 2.

Cleveland, 10; Philadelphia, 1.  
Cleveland, O., July 31.—Cleveland defeated Philadelphia 10 to 1 today, bunching hits with bases on balls. Morton was effective throat, striking out six batters in the second, third and fourth innings, five of them in succession. One handed stops by Dugan and Turner featured the fielding.  
Score:  
Philadel. 000 010 000—1 5 1  
Cleveland 025 200 10x—10 10 1  
Batteries—Adams, Pierson and McAvoy; Morton and O'Neill.  
Divide Twin Bill.  
Detroit, July 31.—Detroit and New York divided a double header today, the visitors winning the

## STANDING OF CLUBS

American League	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston 5 to 4	59	37	.615
Washington	58	43	.574
Cleveland	55	42	.567
New York	47	45	.511
Chicago	42	50	.457
Detroit	41	52	.441
St. Louis	40	52	.435
Philadelphia	36	54	.400
National League			
Chicago	60	32	.652
New York	57	36	.613
Pittsburgh	48	43	.527
Philadelphia	42	47	.472
Cincinnati	41	48	.461
Brooklyn	40	50	.444
Boston	41	53	.436
St. Louis	38	58	.396

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington, 3; Chicago, 2; 10			
Philadelphia, 1; Cleveland, 10.			
New York, 5-2; Detroit, 3-6.			
Boston, 8; St. Louis, 4.			
National League			
Pittsburgh, 4-0; New York, 2-1.			
St. Louis, 2-1; Brooklyn, 7-2;			
first game 13 innings.			
Chicago, 5-2; Boston, 4.			
Cincinnati-Philadelphia; rain.			

## WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

American League	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington at Chicago.			
Boston at St. Louis.			
New York at Detroit.			
Philadelphia at Cleveland.			
National League			
Chicago at New York.			
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.			
Pittsburgh at Boston.			
St. Louis at Philadelphia.			

first game 5 to 3 and the locals taking the second 6 to 2. In the first game Kallio weakened in the seventh inning, six hits netting four runs. Detroit bunched hits to win the second game.  
Scores:  
First game:  
New York 000 010 400—5 7 4  
Detroit 1 210 000 000—3 8 0  
Batteries—Thormahlen, Robinson, Morgridge and Walters; Kallio, Hall and Stange.  
Second game:  
New York 000 200 000—2 6 1  
Detroit 2 200 002—6 10 1  
Batteries—Keating, Robinson and Hannah; Cunningham and Spencer.

## RICKY FAVORS SEPTEMBER WORLD SERIES

St. Louis, Mo., July 31.—Branch Rickey, president of the St. Louis Nationals tonight announced that at the meeting of the league directors at New York August 3, the vote of his club would be cast in favor of ending baseball Sept. 1. Rickey said he also favored the staging of the World's Series during the early part of September.

## BASEBALL DECISION TO BE GIVEN SATURDAY

Meeting of League Officers and Club Owners to Be Held in Cleveland.  
Cleveland, O., July 31.—A decision on how and when to end the baseball season of the two major leagues will be reached Saturday at Cleveland. At the request of B. B. Johnson, president of the American League, Chairman August Herrman called the meeting of the national commission for 11 o'clock Saturday morning at Cleveland.  
Herrman also wired invitations to the owners of the clubs in the National and American Leagues to attend, and Herrman said indications are that practically all club owners will be at the meeting. John K. Tener, president of the National League, in a telephone conversation from New York with Herrman said that he would not attend the meeting, as he had decided not to attend any more sessions of the national commission; this, it is understood, is in line with his declaration several weeks ago that he would not sit with Johnson in any baseball matters, following the dispute over the Pitcher Perry case.  
Chairman Herrman said that at the Cleveland meeting the question of when to close the major league seasons and also the question of holding a world series will be definitely decided.

## KENTUCKY ELECTION PROSPECTS.

Louisville, Ky., July 31.—The Kentucky political campaign has lived to a noticeable extent with the near approach of the general primaries, which will be held next Saturday. Lack of important contests, however, still serves to keep the public interest at a comparatively low ebb.  
Nominations will be made in the primaries for United States senator, representatives in congress, judges of the court of appeals, members of the legislature and county officers. There is no gubernatorial election this year.  
United States Senator Ollie M. James is a candidate for re-nomination on the democratic ticket. His only opponent is Preston Kimball, of Lexington. The contest for the republican senatorial nomination is between Judge Burgess J. Bethurum, of Somerset, and Dr. Ben L. Bruner, of Louisville.  
There are nine democratic congressmen and two republicans, and no change in the political complexion of the congressmen is expected.

## UNCLE SAM NOW CONTROLS ALL WIRES.

Washington, D. C., July 31.—By virtue of a proclamation of President Wilson, issued in pursuance of the power invested in him by act of congress, the federal government at midnight tonight will take over control of all telegraph, telephone, cable and radio systems of the country, and will continue to exercise such control for the duration of the war. The wire systems will be operated by the post office department under the direct supervision of Postmaster General Burleson.

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Twin Bill—Other National League Games.			
Boston, July 31.—Chicago beat Boston today 5 to 4. Hendrix weakened in the eighth, when Boston made three runs. Carter relieved him and was in turn replaced by Tyler. Mann's batting was a feature. Rudolph's support was poor in the pinches.			
Score:			
Chicago: AB. R. H. O. A. E.			
Flack, rf 4 0 0 2 0 0			
Hitcher, ss 4 2 2 1 3 2			
Mann, lf 5 5 5 0 0 0			
P'kert, cf 1 0 0 2 0 0			
Merkle, 1b 46 1 13 0 0			
McCabe, 2b 3 1 1 4 4 0			
Zeider, 3b 2 0 0 1 1 0			
K'lter, c 4 0 0 2 4 3 0			
H'drix, p 3 1 0 0 0 3 1			
Carter, p 0 0 0 0 0 0 0			
Tyler, p 1 0 0 0 0 1 0			
Totals 31 5 9 27 15 3			
Boston: AB. R. H. O. A. E.			
Henzog, 2b 5 0 0 3 5 0			
Tagg't, lf 5 1 1 3 0 0			
Massey, cf 3 1 2 2 1 0			
W'kland, rf 4 1 0 0 0 0			
J C Smith, 3b 4 1 1 0 2 0			
K'nechy, 1b 4 0 0 1 14 2 0			
Wilson, c 3 0 0 1 2 1 0			
J. L. Smith, ss 0 0 0 2 4 0			
Rudolph, p 3 0 1 1 5 0			
George, p 0 0 0 0 0 0			
Henry, z 0 0 0 0 0 0			
R'lings, zz 1 0 0 0 0 0			
Totals 35 4 8 27 20 2			
Z—Batted for Rudolph in ninth.			
ZZ—Batted for George in ninth.			
Chicago 000 012 100 100—5			
Boston 000 000 100 030—4			
Two base hits—Mann, Killifer.			
Stolen bases—Hollocher, Mann.			
Sacrifice hits—Zeider (2), Flack.			
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Ellam, ss 4 0 0 1 1 1  
Bigbee, lf 3 0 0 2 3 0 0  
Carey, cf 4 0 0 2 3 0 0  
S'worth, rf 4 0 0 1 0 0  
C'shaw, 2b 4 0 0 2 3 0  
M'witz, 1b 3 0 2 9 0 0  
McK'nie, 3b 3 0 0 1 2 0  
Schmidt, c 3 0 1 6 5 0  
C'stock, p 3 0 1 0 3 0  
Totals 31 0 6 24 14 1  
New York—A. B. R. H. O. A. E.  
Burns, cf 3 0 0 4 0 0  
Young, rf 4 0 2 0 0 0  
F'tcher, ss 3 0 1 4 4 0  
Doyle, 2b 2 0 0 1 3 0  
Zim'n, 3b 3 0 0 1 4 0  
Co'pton, lf 3 1 1 1 0 0  
Kirke, 1b 3 0 1 13 1 0  
McCarty, c 3 0 1 0 3 1  
Causey, p 3 0 1 0 3 1  
Totals 26 1 7 27 16 1  
Pittsburgh 000 000 000 000—0  
New York 000 010 000—1  
Three base hits—Compton.  
Sacrifice hits—Burns, Fletcher.  
Bases on balls—Off Causey, 1; Off Comstock, 3. Struck out—By Causey, 2; by Comstock, 3.  
Second Game.  
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St. Bell 25. Office 324, West State  
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FREE OF CHARGE**  
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If you have anything in this line  
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511 or Ill. 394.  
REDUCTION WORKS  
(East of Jacksonville Packing Co.,  
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**D. E. SWEENEY**  
Dealers in Coal, Lime, Co-  
ment and all Bricklayers'  
and Plasterers'  
Supplies  
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Special attention given to opening  
and closing books of accounts and  
analysis of balance sheets.

**DR. F. C. NOYES—**  
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to 5 p. m. Other hours by ap-  
pointment.  
Bell phone 36 Ill. Phone 1589

**HONE MARKETS.**  
GROCERS PAY  
Onions, new, per dozen..... 40  
Asparagus, per dozen..... 45  
Rutabagas, per dozen..... 45  
Rutabagas, per dozen..... 45  
Turnips..... 40  
Onions, per bushel..... 1.00  
Onions, per bushel..... 1.00  
Spring, per pound..... 25  
Butter, per pound..... 40  
Eggs, fresh, per dozen..... 25  
Lard, per pound..... 25  
Hens, per pound..... 25  
Hens, per pound..... 25  
Cocks, per pound..... 25  
Springs, per pound..... 25  
Stags, per pound..... 25  
Ducks, per pound..... 25  
Guinea, each..... 25  
Eggs, fresh, per dozen..... 25  
Packing stock butter, per pound..... 25  
The Jacksonville Creamery Co. is  
paying 45c for butter

**HAY AND GRAIN—RETAIL**  
Timothy hay, per ton..... 1.35  
Alfalfa hay, per ton..... 2.00  
Clover hay, per ton..... 2.00  
Clover hay, per bale..... 1.10  
Oats straw, per bale..... .50  
Oats, per bushel..... .50  
Bran, per cwt..... 2.25  
Cracked corn, per cwt..... 3.50  
Cracked corn, per cwt..... 3.50  
Midlings, per cwt..... 2.50  
Scratch feed, per cwt..... 4.15  
Corn, per bushel..... 1.40

**HONOR PLATES THE LATEST.**  
Washington, D. C., July 31.—A  
new patriotic fund has taken  
form hold on the nation's capital.  
It is the honor plate, an artistic  
and dignified family service in-  
signia designed to serve the same  
purpose as the familiar service  
flag which now floats from tens of  
thousands of homes throughout  
the land. The honor plate is a  
bronzine tablet about the size of the  
ordinary door plate. On its face  
it bears in artistic lettering the  
inscription: "This Is the Home  
of a Soldier Defending the Cause  
of God, Humanity and Amer-  
ica." The plates made their first  
appearance in the capital several  
weeks ago. Now they are to be  
found adorning the doors of half  
the stately mansions along Con-  
necticut avenue and other fash-  
ionable thoroughfares of Wash-  
ington.

**IOWA A PRISONER.**  
Washington, July 30.—Namos  
of two officers and five enlisted  
men of the American expedition-  
ary forces held as prisoners in  
Germany, announced today by the  
war department include Corporal  
John E. Smith, Lyons, Iowa.

**UNION LABEL**  
JACKSONVILLE, ILL.  
**OMNIBUS**  
WANTED  
WANTED—A steam engineer for  
threshing. No one only a first class  
man need apply. E. B. Chrisman  
Merrill, Ill. 7-14-17

WANTED—To rent—Good, mixed  
farm. Address J. W. Wallace, Chi-  
cago, Ill. 7-13-17

WANTED—To buy pop corn. Schumm  
and Loneragan, 58 E. Side Square.  
7-23-17

WANTED—Housework, by week,  
either in town or country. Experi-  
ence. Address 10, care Journal.  
7-30-17

WANTED—To rent—100 to 200 acre  
farm in Scott or Morgan county, by  
experienced farmer, have tractor  
and four working mules. Albert  
Rolf, Route No. 2, Bufile, Illinois.  
7-29-17

CASH FOR OLD FALLEN TEETH—  
Don't matter if broken. I pay \$2.00  
to \$5.00 per set, also cash for old  
gold, silver, platinum, dental gold  
and old jewelry. Will send cash  
by return mail and will hold goods  
for 10 days for sender's approval  
of my price. Mail to L. Mazer, 207  
S. Fifth St., Philadelphia, Pa.  
7-6-1mo

**HELP WANTED**  
WANTED—Experienced horse man.  
Apply Cherry's livery. 7-27-17  
WANTED—Two reliable teamsters.  
Apply Cherry's livery. 7-27-17  
WANTED—A girl for general house-  
work. 1133 W. State st. 7-23-17  
WANTED—Cook, at Old People's  
Home; for one month. 8-1-17

WANTED—Girl, to make her home,  
for board and clothes, and to go  
to school. Bell phone 960. 7-23-17  
WANTED—Girl or middle aged wo-  
man for general house work. Ill.  
phone 121 or Bell 5418. 7-31-17  
WANTED—Girl for general house-  
work in country; good wages. Ill-  
inois phone 094; Bell phone 3544.  
7-29-17

WANTED—Men for general work and  
special work in factory department;  
steady employment; good wages.  
Apply Illinois Steel Bridge Co.  
7-28-17

**BOYS WANTED—**We need the ser-  
vices of a number of grammar  
school boys for permanent part-time  
work. The boys we select will be  
well paid and given an opportunity  
to earn, learn and advance. Apply  
to B. E. Lane, 223 W. State street,  
Jacksonville, Ill. 7-28-17

**GOVERNMENT NEEDS 20,000 WOMEN  
CLERKS** at Washington. Exami-  
nations everywhere in August. Ex-  
perience unnecessary. Women de-  
siring government positions write  
for free particulars to J. C. Leon-  
ard (former Civil Service Examina-  
tor), 466 Kenosia Bldg., Washington.  
7-28-17

**FOR RENT**  
FOR RENT—House always. The  
Johnston Agency. 7-1-17  
FOR RENT—Rooms; modern. 353 E.  
State st. 7-28-17  
FOR RENT—Room house and bath.  
947 S. West st., or call 0123. 7-30-17

FOR RENT—Modern eight room  
house with sleeping porch. 319  
Woodland Park. L. S. Doane.  
7-13-17  
FOR RENT—Modern furnished steam  
heat cottage. Illinois phone.  
8-1-1mo

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms,  
first floor. 347 W. North st.  
7-17-17

FOR RENT—Elsmore cottage, Lake  
Matanzas, July 15th. Call Fred  
B. Hopper. 7-14-17

FOR RENT—Upper flat, 5 rooms, all  
modern. 314 W. College ave. Ill.  
Cherry, both phones 50. 7-27-17  
FOR RENT—At low price, 7 room  
house, adjoining our coal office.  
Walton and Co. 7-11-17

FOR RENT—Modern seven room  
house. 326 S. Diamond St. John  
Cherry. Both phones 50. 7-27-17

FOR RENT—Five or six rooms, two  
or three other rooms reserved.  
Strictly modern. 350 West College  
street. Apply to Albert Baldwin,  
333 East College ave. Ill. phone  
50-889, or Mrs. Alex.  
Campbell, 138 Prospect. 7-6-17

**FOR SALE**  
FOR SALE—A fine Bausch & Lomb  
Baltolcan for sale at half price. Can  
be seen at Lane's Book Store.  
7-30-17

FOR SALE—Touring car, 1914 model.  
Electrically equipped. Call 916 Do-  
lin ave. 7-30-17

FOR SALE—Winter onion sets. 15c  
per quart; 2 quarts for 25c. Ill. phone  
70-77. 7-30-17

FOR SALE—Household and kitchen  
furniture. 224 Pennsylvania ave. Call  
morning, between 7 and 12. 7-30-17

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boar and  
25 sows. Illinois phone 50-351.  
7-31-17

FOR SALE—Family horse or trade  
for Ford car. Ill. phone 29, Murray-  
ville. 7-31-17

**FOR SALE**  
FOR SALE—International six-horse  
engine, one planer. Edwin W. Wade,  
Woodson. 7-25-17  
FOR SALE—Cucumbers for pickles.  
Ill. Phone 50-353. 7-23-17

FOR SALE—Ford car, A No. 1 me-  
chanical condition. Apply 787 East  
College ave. 7-23-17

COWS FOR SALE—20 head of choice  
fresh cows. F. V. Correa, Manchester,  
Ill. 7-6-17

FOR SALE—Furniture. Two double  
iron beds, complete; 1 library, 1 cen-  
ter and 2 study tables; 1 dresser; 1  
rocking chair; 1 settee; 1 side-  
board; 2 chairs, rugs and other  
things not needed. Call at 1012 Grove  
st., or Bell No. 829. 7-29-17

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
MONEY TO LOAN on real estate  
security. M. C. Hook & Co. 7-26-17

TRUNKS, LEATHER GOODS AND  
REPAIRING. Harry's Leather  
Goods Store, 415 West Morgan  
street. 7-22-17

MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS—The  
Johnston Agency. 8-1-17

BUICK TAXI—Country trips a spec-  
ialty. Rates by day, trip or mile.  
Call Illinois phone 28. 7-29-17

WALL PAPER & a roll up. F. L.  
Smith, 129 East Morgan avenue. 7-30-17

TO LEND—SPECIAL—We have \$5-  
100 to lend on farm land, and \$1,000  
to lend on city property. The John-  
ston Agency. 7-28-17

CALL WOOD'S for taxi for clubs,  
parties and train; baggage trans-  
fer; auto for country trips. Either  
phone 14. Office 110 East Court  
street. 7-17-17

LET ME CLEAN and black your old  
hats. I make them look like new.  
Try me—at Dunn's, 207 E. Morgan.  
7-28-17

SUMMER RESORTS—Matanzas Beach  
now open, hotel and furnished cot-  
tages by the lake, boating, bath-  
ing, fishing and dancing. S. E.  
Morris, Havana, Ill. 7-27-17

**LOST AND FOUND**  
STRAYED—Black pig. Return to 414  
East College st. Reward. 7-30-17

LOST—A black slipper; east of town.  
Please return to this office. 7-30-17

LOST—Gold wrist watch; closed  
face. Initial R. Return to this of-  
fice and receive reward. 7-19-17

LOST—A small bill book containing  
money and papers. Return to this  
office for return to this office. 7-31-17

LOST—Sunday, between Nichols park  
and square; man's felt hat. Re-  
turn to Journal office. Reward. 8-1-17

**FOR SALE!**  
Good Stock and  
Grain Farm  
200 acre well improved  
farm, level; 110 acres  
in grass, balance grain.  
Will raise 30 to 40 bu.  
wheat per acre and 50  
to 60 bu. corn. Every  
inch of it can be farmed.  
Plenty of good water.  
Fenced and cross fenced  
with woven wire.  
Barn large enough to  
feed two car loads of  
cattle in one-half of it.  
New dwelling, 2 1/2 mi.  
from town, 1 1/4 mi.  
from school. Located in Shel-  
by county. \$100 per a.  
if taken at once. Can  
lend \$10,000 on farm  
if desired. Good reason  
for selling. For fur-  
ther information ad-  
dress Claude H. Frye,  
919 W. North Street,  
Jacksonville, Ill. Illinois  
Phone 1407.

**BISHOP WALSH ENTHRONED.**  
Trenton, N. J., July 31.—With  
all the pomp and splendor of the  
Roman Catholic ritual the Rt.  
Rev. Thomas J. Walsh was today  
formally installed as bishop of the  
diocese of Trenton. The cere-  
mony was attended by many vis-  
iting prelates, as well as repre-  
sentatives of the clergy and laity  
of Trenton and vicinity. Cardinal  
Farley, of New York, officiated.  
The solemn pontifical mass was  
celebrated by Archbishop Dough-  
erty, of Philadelphia, and the  
sermon was delivered by Bishop  
Thomas F. Hickey, of Roches-  
ter.

**MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET**  
Minneapolis, July 31.—Wheat  
—184 cars.  
Corn—No. 3 yellow, \$1.60 @  
1.65.  
Oats—No. 3 white, 69 @ 70c.

**TOLEDO SEED MARKET.**  
Toledo, July 31.—Clover Seed  
Prime cash, \$17.00; Oct.,  
\$16.15; Dec., \$16.05; March,  
\$16.39.  
Alsike — Prime cash Oct.,  
\$14.50.  
Timothy—Prime cash, \$4.30;  
Sept., \$4.90; March and April,  
\$4.80.

**AN EXCUSABLE LAPSE.**  
London, July 31.—Sir William  
Robertson, who has been appoint-  
ed general officer commanding in-  
chief for Great Britain, is a  
typical rough-and-ready soldier.  
One day, during the early stages  
of the war, when, in his capacity  
of quartermaster-general, he was  
busily organizing the transport  
arrangements between Calais and  
the British base field, he stopped  
by the way to "lend a hand," as-  
sisting in hoisting a heavy motor  
lorry out of a ditch. Returning  
to his car, which halted some lit-  
tle distance off, he passed a sen-  
try. The man failed to present  
arms.

Sir William, who, despite his  
complete lack of official "starch,"  
is a stickler for military etiquette,  
paused, wheeled round, and  
walked up to the sentry.  
"Why didn't you salute me?"  
he asked.

"P-p-please, sir; I didn't know  
who you were."

Robertson glanced down at his  
none too smart uniform, grimed  
with oil and dust from close con-  
tact with the lorry, and smiled  
grimly.

"Well," he said, "I may not  
look just now like a blankety  
general. But I am one."

FOR SALE—Desirable home; good  
terms. 302 Woodland Place. 8-room  
house, sleeping porch, large yard.  
Mrs. D. Davis 321 N. Jackson st.  
Hitchfield, Ill. 7-23-17

FOR SALE—Good eight-year-old  
horse. 235 West Greenwood ave.  
horses. 7-25-17

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**FOR SHERIFF.**  
I hereby announce myself as a can-  
didate for sheriff on the Democratic  
ticket, subject to the decision of the  
primary to be held Wednesday,  
September 11, 1918.  
W. H. Weatherford.

I hereby announce myself as a can-  
didate for the Republican nomination  
for sheriff, subject to the primary  
election.  
George L. Stone

I hereby announce myself as a can-  
didate for the Republican nomination  
for sheriff, subject to the primary  
election.  
Henry G. Strawn.

I hereby announce myself as a can-  
didate for the Republican nomination  
for sheriff, subject to the primary  
election.  
V. R. Riley.

I hereby announce myself as a can-  
didate for the Republican nomination  
for sheriff, subject to the primary  
election. Your vote will be appreci-  
ated.  
Geo. N. Woods.

I hereby announce myself as a can-  
didate for the nomination for sheriff  
on the democratic ticket subject to  
the decision of the primary election  
September 11.  
William A. Masters.

**FOR ASSESSOR AND TREAS-  
URER.**  
I hereby announce myself for the  
office of assessor and treasurer, sub-  
ject to the decision of the Republic-  
an county at the primary  
election, Sept. 11, 1918.  
Grant Graff.

I hereby announce my candidacy for  
county clerk, subject to the pri-  
mary election to be held September  
11, 1918.  
Charles S. Block.

I hereby announce my candidacy for  
the Democratic nomination for  
Morgan county assessor, subject to  
the result of the primary elec-  
tion.  
Jerry Cox.

I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for the Democratic nomination  
for assessor and treasurer, subject  
to the primary election September 11.  
A. D. Arnold.

**FOR COUNTY CLERK**  
I hereby announce myself as a can-  
didate for the nomination for county  
clerk, subject to the decision of the  
Republican at the primary election,  
September 11, 1918.  
Charles H. James.

I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for the democratic nomination  
for county clerk, subject to the pri-  
mary election to be held September  
11, 1918.  
C. A. Boruff.

I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for the office of county clerk of  
Morgan county subject to the deci-  
sion of the Republican voters at the  
primary election Sep. 11, 1918.  
G. L. Riggs.

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE.**  
I hereby announce myself as a can-  
didate for the Republican nomination  
for county judge, subject to the pri-  
mary election.  
W. L. Armstrong.

**FOR CONGRESSMAN—**  
I hereby announce myself as a can-  
didate for nomination for congress-  
man from this district, subject to the  
decision at the Democratic primary  
election, Sept. 11, 1918.  
Henry T. Rainey.

**FOR GENERAL ASSEMBLY.**  
I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for the Republican nomination  
for member of the general assembly,  
from this district, subject to the  
decision of the voters at the primary  
election.  
W. C. SHAFFER.

**REPRESENTATIVE**  
I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for the Republican nomination  
for state representative from this  
district, including Sangamon and  
Morgan counties.  
Fred W. Wanless.

I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for the democratic nomination  
for state representative from this dis-  
trict, including Sangamon and Mor-  
gan counties.  
Henry J. Rodgers.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**  
Superintendent of Schools,  
I hereby announce myself a  
candidate for the office of county  
superintendent of schools, subject  
to the Republican primary, Sept.  
11.  
Truman P. Carter.

**FOR STATE SENATOR**  
Dr. John A. Wheeler, Springfield,  
Ill., announces his candidacy on the  
Republican ticket for the nomination  
for state senator from the forty-  
fifth Senatorial district, consisting of  
Sangamon and Morgan counties. Pri-  
mary, September 11.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.**  
I take this method of offering my-  
self as a candidate for county com-  
missioner at the republican primary  
September 11. I will appreciate the  
aid of the court house in Jacksonville,  
including Jacksonville, where  
I have resided nearly all my life.  
J. M. Swales.

**ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE OF  
ILLINOIS.**  
F. Scott McBride, State Supt.  
1200 Security Building.  
Tel. Franklin 249.  
Chicago, Illinois.  
June 26, 1918.

Hon. John A. Wheeler,  
Springfield, Illinois.  
Dear Mr. Wheeler:  
This letter will assure you that  
the Anti-Saloon League of Illinois  
will endorse you as a candidate  
for the Senate in the forty-fifth  
district for the primary, Septem-  
ber 11th.

With best wishes to you, I am  
Very sincerely yours,  
(Signed) F. Scott McBride,  
State Superintendent.

**SALE OF REAL ESTATE**  
To Pay the Debt of Nancy C. Lah-  
man, Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that pur-  
suant to the order and decree of the  
County Court of the County of Mor-  
gan and State of Illinois, made and  
entered of record on the 26th day  
of July, A. D. 1918, the undersigned,  
administrator of the estate of Nancy  
C. Lahman, deceased, will, on the 26th  
day of August, A. D. 1918, between  
the hours of ten o'clock in the morn-  
ing and five o'clock in the afternoon  
of said day, to-wit, at the hour of  
two o'clock p. m., at the south door  
of the Court House in Jacksonville,  
Illinois, sell at public auction to the  
highest and best bidder, the follow-  
ing described real estate, to-wit:  
Fifty (50) feet off of the west side  
of one hundred and thirty (130) feet  
off of the north end of lot ten (10), in  
block thirty-five (35), in the city ad-  
dition to Jacksonville, situated in said  
County of Morgan and State of Illi-  
nois; said sale to be held on the fol-  
lowing terms and conditions, to-wit:  
Cash in hand on day of sale. The  
premises to be sold free and clear of  
all incumbrances.  
The said 26th day of July, A. D.  
1918.  
Ellsworth Wells,  
Administrator of the Estate of Nancy  
C. Lahman, Deceased.  
Bellatti, Bellatti & Moriarty, At-  
torneys, Jy 25-Aug. 1-15

**PROFIT TAKING WIPES  
OUT CORN ADVANCE**  
CHICAGO, July 31.—Month-  
end profit taking by longs more  
than wiped out in corn today an  
advance due largely to rapid fall-  
ing-off in



# HOPPER'S Annual Clean-Up of Low Shoes

It is your opportunity to secure our dependable footwear at a substantial saving. As the season comes to a close, we naturally make every effort to reduce our stock, especially all broken and discontinued lots.

For women we are able to offer some good values on staple lines and very exceptional bargains on our broken lots.

**\$2.50** At this price we are able to offer you some great values in pumps and straps, in a variety of leathers. See our displays.

## For Men

Our staple low cuts at a saving and broken lots at a big sacrifice. See the values in tans and blacks, button and lace that we are now offering for the special price of **\$3.95**.

It will pay you to look these values over. They are money savers.

## See Our Bargain Counters

You will find low shoe values to your liking on display on our many bargain counters. Low shoes for men, women and children at a saving.

WARSAVINGSTAMPS  
WHO SAVED, SERVED

### CHAPIN MAN HAS NARROW ESCAPE

J. W. Lane Is Slightly Injured When Car Turns Turtle—Car Completely Demolished.

J. W. Lane of Chapin, Ill., narrowly escaped death when the car which he was driving crashed into a ditch one and one-half miles south of Chapin, near the Moody farm. Mr. Lane and his friend Alpha Gimble, also of Chapin, were starting to Merritt. At the south side of the Moody farm Mr. Lane was descending a hill toward a bridge where the road, for some 100 yards, it is impossible for another vehicle to pass. He met Mr. Taylor of Riggston. Both being unable to stop tried to pass Mr. Lane's car, striking a small ditch washed in the grade, which is some 20 feet high, turned turtle. Mr. Gimble jumped from the car but Mr. Lane being unable to get from under the steering wheel was carried down the embankment some 10 or 12 feet where the car landed on some roots which held the car from his body until he could be removed. The car which Mr. Lane was driving was on Overland and completely demolished. It is reported the young man is getting along nicely as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Williams of Prentice were visitors in the city yesterday.

### ASKS FOR ANNULMENT OF MARRIAGE CONTRACT

Bessie Ellis by her attorney, Carl E. Robinson, has filed a bill with the circuit clerk asking for the annulment of her marriage to Edward Ellis.

She sets forth that she was united in marriage to said Edward Ellis at Jefferson City, Mo., May 15, 1913. That at that time said Edward Ellis did not tell her, nor did he tell her afterward, that he had been married and had been divorced from his former wife.

Mrs. Ellis alleges that on the 15th day of July, 1918, she learned that said Edward Ellis had been granted a decree of divorce from his wife, Verna Ellis, in the Morgan county circuit court on November 30, 1912. That his marriage with plaintiff was contracted less than one year after his divorce.

Said plaintiff states that since July 15, she has not lived with said defendant as his wife. She asks for the annulment of the marriage, restoration of her maiden name and such other equity as should be granted by the court in the premises.

**Largest and best line of military watches ever in our store. See our east window. BASSETT'S**

**LICENSED TO MARRY.**  
Herman Davis, Meredosia;  
Nellie Bauser, Meredosia.

# EIGHTY THREE MEN ENTRAIN FOR CAMPS HERE THIS MORNING

Seventy-Two Morgan County Lads, Most of Them Farmers, Leave for Camp Taylor — Number to Kentucky Camp Augmented by Transferred Men—Five Limited Service Men Go To Syracuse.

The Morgan county boys to leave for Camp Taylor, Ky., will entrain this morning at 6:45 o'clock via the Chicago & Alton, and five limited service men will leave for Syracuse, N. Y., via the Alton at 6:05 o'clock.

Promptly at 6 o'clock farewell services for the departing contingent will be held on the beautiful Illinois' Women's College lawn.

The gathering will be called to order by the chairman of the local board, Hon. Miller Weir.

Rev. J. G. Kuppier, pastor of the Salem Evangelical Lutheran church, was to have made the opening prayer, but having to leave last week on his vacation, he will be unable to be present and Rev. Walter E. Spoons will pray. This service on Mr. Spoons' part is especially appropriate, as he will accompany the men to Camp Taylor as Y. M. C. A. representative.

Major C. E. McDougall, in behalf of Matt Starr Post, Grand Army of the Republic, will then say a few words to the boys.

Following Major McDougall's remarks, Dr. J. R. Harker, president of Illinois Women's College, will address the men.

Mr. Weir will then give the charge to the departing boys, and with words of caution and advice to them will bring the services to a close.

Andre & Andre have kindly offered to loan one hundred folding chairs and have them placed on the lawn for the benefit of the Grand Army veterans and members of the Women's Relief Corps.

Following the formal program, a picture of the men will be taken by Otto Splith, official photographer of the board. This should be an interesting picture, having as its background the lawn and college buildings and the company assembled.

Late yesterday afternoon it was reported that all of the men who are to leave this morning had reported at the office of Edgar Robinson, who was injured in an automobile accident at Beardstown Tuesday night. Mr. Robinson was not seriously injured and was taken to his home near Prentice. It is possible that he will be able to go to camp within a short time.

After reporting to the board the men were told to report this morning on the I. W. C. campus and allowed to depart for their homes to spend the night. A few, however, from a distance, were not able to go home and return in time for entrainment, and so were taken care of by the board at a local hotel for the night.

**Lieutenant Arrives.**  
Lieutenant N. B. Blanchard arrived from Camp Taylor during the day and was present at the office of the board during the most of the afternoon. He will have charge of the train this morning and will act as the official escort for the men to camp. A special coach will accommodate the Morgan county contingent on the regular train south this morning. Other coaches will be picked up enroute to camp, however, so that the lieutenant will have a number of coaches to oversee before he reaches Louisville.

**Appointed Chief Orderly.**  
Charles R. Gibson, a young farmer of the Franklin neighborhood, has been appointed chief orderly by the members of the board and will be second in command of the men under Lieutenant Blanchard.

Orderlies appointed to assist Chief Orderly Gibson were appointed by the board and each is in charge of a squad of eight men. These assistant orderlies are as follows:

- Paul E. Barrows, Jacksonville.  
Charles O. Brockhouse, Meredosia.  
Edward A. Duvendack, Meredosia.  
Leo J. Flood, Jacksonville.  
James E. Long, Litterberry.  
Edgar Morris, Franklin.  
Paul Lincoln Reid, Jacksonville.  
Henry Russwinkel, Meredosia.  
Roy Marshall Stice, Ashland.  
The Men Who Leave.  
The following is a list of all the men who will leave this morning for Camp Taylor, Ky.:  
Ira C. Abel, farmer, Prentice.  
Walter Alhorn, farmer, Meredosia.  
Paul E. Barrows, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Harmon G. Barth, farmer, Meredosia.  
Ralph L. Bartlett, baker, Jacksonville.  
Frederick A. Berghaus, farmer, Meredosia.  
Anton J. Bergschneider, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Claude D. Bolton, farmer, Murrayville.  
Dillon H. Bridgman, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Charles O. Brockhouse, farmer, Meredosia.  
Arthur Buchanan, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Eddie Carrigan, farmer, Woodson.  
Leo L. Carrigan, farmer, Jacksonville.  
William T. Casey, farmer, Woodson.  
Edgar M. Chaudoin, farmer, Franklin.  
Edward E. Davies, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Wallace Leslie Deatherage, farmer, Waverly.  
Richard L. Dewitt, farmer, Prentice.  
Leslie R. Dodsworth, farmer, Franklin.  
Charles H. Dorwart, farmer, Waverly.  
Edward A. Duvendack, farmer, Meredosia.  
John Eller, farmer, Alexander.  
Carl F. W. Engelbrecht, farmer, Chapin.  
George H. Evans, laborer, Quincy.  
Leo J. Flood, teacher, Jacksonville.  
Martin E. Flynn, farmer, Alexander.  
Rudolph H. Fricke, farmer, Meredosia.  
William German, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Charles R. Gibson, farmer, Franklin.  
John F. Goodpasture, farmer, Arenzville.  
Francis B. Gunn, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Everett I. Haire, farmer, Franklin.  
William Hauser, farmer, Meredosia.  
Elton R. Hinners, farmer, Meredosia.  
Herman F. Kleinschmidt, farmer, Arenzville.  
John L. Korth, farmer, Alexander.  
Charles Lash, farmer, Waverly.  
Harry Lippert, farmer, Concord.  
Thomas Lonergan, Jr., farmer, Murrayville.  
James E. Long, farmer, Litterberry.  
Clifford M. McCall, farmer, Alexander.  
Ollie McMahon, truck driver, Waverly.  
Henry L. Martin, farmer, Waverly.  
Fred L. Meyer, farmer, Chapin.  
Edgar Morris, farmer, Franklin.  
Arthur M. Nergenah, farmer, Chapin.  
William E. Nienheiser, farmer, Chapin.  
John H. Nortrup, farmer, Bluffs.  
Frank Nunes, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Jesse Nunn, farmer, Meredosia.  
Joseph E. Parlier, farmer, Arenzville.  
Leland A. Pond, truck driver, Meredosia.  
Walter W. Puls, farmer, Meredosia.  
Edward H. Rausch, farmer, Meredosia.  
Paul Lincoln Reid, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Raymond E. Roberts, farmer, Murrayville.  
Lawrence J. Ruh, farmer, Chapin.  
Henry Russwinkel, farmer, Meredosia.  
Jesse L. Sample, farmer, Waverly.  
John H. Schlueter, farmer, Meredosia.  
Erwin H. Schwagmeyer, farmer, Concord.  
Lincoln W. Smith, farmer, Waverly.  
Lloyd E. Sorrells, farmer, Murrayville.  
Charles W. Spreen, farmer, Jacksonville.  
Gilman W. Squires, bookkeeper, Meredosia.  
Roy Marshall Stice, farmer, Ashland.  
Jesse C. Tarzwell, farmer, Woodson.  
Lloyd W. Wankel, farmer, Ashland.  
Edgar G. H. Weber, farmer, Meredosia.  
Walter H. Weber, farmer, Meredosia.  
Herschel F. Williams, farmer, Alton.

Orville H. Zimmer, farmer, Jacksonville.

**Mobilize Here.**

The following men will leave this morning for Camp Taylor, with local men, having secured transfer of mobilization to Morgan county:

- Charles N. Wright, Fayette, Mo.  
John M. Haug, Virginia City, Mont.  
Clifford Gillis, Manchester, Ia.  
Pete Strouzas, Racine, Wis.  
Harry B. Gunn, Crookston, Minn.  
Herman L. Davis, Flint, Mich.  
Limited Service Men Go.  
The following selected men having been inducted into limited military service, will entrain this morning at 6:05 for Syracuse Recruit Camp, State Fair Grounds, Syracuse, N. Y., where they will be used as guards and firemen as the need may arise and their ability permits. The men, who are in charge of Orderly Lloyd G. Ogle, are as follows:  
Ivan Agee Ham, button cutter.  
Orville L. Osborne, fireman.  
Roy E. Gilbert, cigarmaker.  
Clifford M. Nuhes, laborer.  
Gets Deferred Classification.  
Wald Williams, colored, who had been ordered to report by the local board for entrainment next Monday morning, has received notification of deferred classification from the district board on industrial grounds and placed in Class 2, Div. D. Williams is employed as wool sorter at J. Capps & Sons' Woolen Mill.

**Mobilization Transfers.**  
William W. Sidebottom has been granted a mobilization transfer to Munfordsville, Ky. Thomas Johnson has been given similar special dispensation to the local board at McLeansboro. Both of these men will go to Camp Taylor, Ky., at the local board of Morgan county will get credit for their induction into the service.

**Give Copies of Song.**  
Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Duncan have given to the local board a number of copies of the song, "Illinois." They will be given out to the men just before their entrainment this morning.

**Jacksonville Lodge No. 570, A. F. and A. M., will hold a stated meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brethren welcome.**

**N. Kuykendall, W. M. E. L. Kinney, Secy.**

**A MODEL WAR GARDEN.**  
Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick is surely doing his part well toward winning the war as far as a war garden is concerned. He has a small patch of ground at his home on Webster avenue and there he has results which are certainly gratifying. Early vegetables, peas, beans and the like are past and forgotten except for the good taste they left. Then he began having potatoes May 30th and has had them ever since.

It is in tomatoes that the reverend gentleman excels as he is an expert in cultivating and raising them. He has one variety, the Golden Majestic, a rich yellow, perfect in shape and surface, large in size, a prolific bearer and luscious in taste. The World's Fair is another variety and of these he has had a number weighing more than a pound each. They are red and very fine. He has his own way of cultivating and fertilizing the soil. He puts barnyard manure in the water and once a week give them a sprinkling, which aids materially in their growth.

He has a peculiar squash, the Tung Qua, a Chinese variety, hairy on the outside and said to be excellent in taste. This is something new but the vines and young squashes give promise of a good yield. He has taken from his garden a bushel of onions, has an abundance of carrots, parsnips, peppers, pie plant, butter beans and other vegetables and all this on a very small space but intensely cultivated.

He uses brains as well as brawn and the exercise he gets is well reflected in the efforts he makes in his ministerial labors, for sound mind in a sound body will always tend to prevail.

He also likes the animal creation and has made friends with some birds and squirrels which come around regularly to get the feed he likes to put out for them.

**NOTICE**  
All accounts on our books for coal delivered prior to July 1 are now due. Prompt payment is earnestly requested. Bills payable at the office, East College avenue, at the office or L. S. Doane, Farrell Bank building, or to A. W. Becker, in charge of collections.

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**RED CROSS NOTES.**  
During the month of July the following hospital garments have been received at the Red Cross Shop:

- Bed shirts from Alexander, 12.  
Bed shirts from Franklin 45.  
Bed shirts from Woodson 7.  
Bed shirts from Christian church 10.  
Bed shirts from Westminster church 11.  
Pajamas from Franklin 22.  
Pajamas from Congregational church 12.  
Bed jackets from Liberty church 5.  
Bed jackets from Franklin 9.  
Under shirts from Franklin 4.  
Under shirts from Ebenezer church 11.  
Convalescent robes from Baptist church 6.

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